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PROGRESS OF THE COLLEGE

Although the College with the remainder of the country has barely emerged from the great "depression" only to find itself starting into an equally gloomy "recession," a prevailing note of optimism predominates on the Goshen College campus. The enrollment of 311 students during the first semester of the year 1937-38, represents a new all-time high. The Winter Bible Term has already enrolled 86 students, an increase of 11 percent over last year's record enrollment. Fifteen regular students expect to return to the campus for the second semester.

Financially also the College is in better condition at present than it has been at any time within recent years. At a meeting of the Regional Directors of the Alumni Division of The Goshen College Accreditation Plan at Homecoming, Business Manager, C. L. Graber, gave the following comparative report of the non-educational income of Goshen College for the years 1935-36 and 1936-37.

	35-36	36-37
Donations to Regular		
College Operations	\$ 4,705.23	\$ 7,822.75
Profit from Auxiliary Dep'ts	5,806.37	6,549.75
Rental	345.45	613.95
Endowment Income Paid to		
Current Operations	500.00	800.00
Endowment Income Applied on		
Debt	3,600.58	2,825.09
Endowment Income Paid as		
Interest on Debt	3,646.13	3,603.85
Donations Applied on Debt		
Reduction	1,649.67	2,631.56
	<u>\$20,253.43</u>	<u>\$24,646.95</u>

This report shows that the College is approaching the income figure usually considered necessary for the accreditation of a small college in the North Central Association. The report shows that nearly \$4,500 more was realized during the past year than in 1935-36. As soon as the debt can be reduced so that all of the present donations, profit and income can be applied to college operating expenses the financial barrier to accreditation in the North Central Association will be removed.

An encouraging feature of the financial report for 1936-37 is that the College has operated at an actual profit of \$2102.47 during the fiscal year closing September 1, 1937. Alumni may be pardoned for congratulating themselves on having made this net operating profit possible by the increased donations during the past year. For the year ending September 1, alumni

contributed \$4138.25 to the operating expenses of Goshen College. This figure represents just about double the amount of the net operating profit. In other words, if alumni had not contributed the \$4138.25 to the Alumni Division of the Goshen College Accreditation Plan, the College would during the past year have operated at an actual deficit of more than \$2000. Another encouraging feature of the annual report, which most of you have already received is that more than \$1700 has been spent in building up the library. This amount is to be raised from year to year so that by 1940 the library and equipment will be fully adequate for accreditation in the North Central Association.

Another item in the annual report may not be quite clear. If the College has operated at a profit of over \$2000 during the past year, why, someone may ask, does the report show unpaid salaries for 1936-37 of \$4777.61? This can be explained by turning to page 13 where the accounts for 1936-37 are shown as \$7135.77. This means simply that although the salaries have not all been paid in cash, they can be paid as soon as student accounts for the past year are paid. Incidentally, loss on student accounts is a very small item.

The optimism, therefore, indicated earlier in this article is well founded. A growing student body, increasing receipts from auxiliary departments and the increased support through voluntary donations, not only by alumni but by the church constituency in general, all give a basis for believing that the day when Goshen College may apply for membership in the North Central Association with reasonable hope of securing admission may not be very distant. Plans are actually under way to apply for membership in the North Central Association in 1940.

HOMECOMING, 1937

The 1937 Thanksgiving Homecoming brought the largest number of visitors that have ever gathered on the campus for this annual event. Mr. A. C. Gingerich x10, of Wellman, Iowa, America's Turkey King, who is the director and owner of the Maplecrest Turkey Farm, shipped 250 pounds of dressed turkey for the occasion. After the Thanksgiving service conducted by President Sanford C. Yoder, students and homecomers gathered in the College Dining Hall for the annual dinner. The program committee had arranged the after-dinner program to call to mind the early Puritan observance of Thanksgiving Day. The following program was rendered:

Presiding Elder—(Professor Wallace Miller 27) Mr. William Brewster.

A True Relation of Things very remarkable in Goshen—(Professor Samuel Yoder 28) Gov. Bradford.

A delightful Song—(Raymond Troyer 36) Captain Miles Standish.

Concerning Ye Agreements and Artickles of Frenship—(Stanley Miller 32) Cheefe Massasoite.

A Delightful Melodie—(Marion Wisseman Gerber 34) Tisquanta.

Sundrie Other Things of Import—(Mary Esch 37) Squanto.

In the evening the College choruses under the direction of Professor Walter E. Yoder 33 gave a delightful program of music. On Friday evening, Dr. Gerald Wendt, director of the American Institute of New York, delivered his demonstration lecture, "The Science Parade." The Literary Society Reunions were held on Saturday morning as usual and were followed by athletic events in the afternoon.

The chief event was the basketball game between the College varsity and the alumni. The gym was filled to capacity. The alumni won with a score of 32-18. Beef Miller 37, was high point man for the graduates with 11 points. Previous to the basket ball game, Ernest Davis, Physical Director for men, put on teams which gave exhibitions of badminton, gym hockey, and tumbling. The Homecoming social was held on Saturday evening. The closing feature of the Homecoming season was the Sunday morning service at which Dr. M. C. Lehman 14, was the speaker.

MEETING OF THE REGIONAL DIRECTORS

On Saturday of Homecoming week, the regional directors of the Alumni Division of the Goshen College Accredittment Plan met together for luncheon in the College dining hall. After the meal the regional directors held a brief meeting for informal discussion of the work and progress of the Alumni Division. Short talks were given by President Yoder; Dr. Paul Bender, Director of the new Personnel Service; Business Manager, C. L. Graber; Ross Gerber 33, Chauncey Smucker 28, and Loren King 31. A note of optimism and loyalty to the Institution pervaded the meeting. The Director of the Alumni Division gave a brief report of the progress of the Alumni Division during the first year and outlined plans for the year 1937-38. The Director reported that approximately five hundred alumni had contributed \$4138.25 to September 1. From September 1 to the time of the meeting at Homecoming an additional sum of \$662 had been paid in. All that were present at the meeting were happy at the response of alumni, which promises to make accreditation in the North Central Association possible for Goshen College within the next few years.

NEW SCHOLARSHIP FUND

On December 14, the trustees of the Laura A. Kindig Seminary Trust of Goshen, Indiana entered into an agreement with Goshen College, according to which the income of the trust, the income of which amounts to something over \$3000 a year, will be given to the College in the form of scholarships for the free education of young women. The stipulations of the agreement require that candidates for the scholarship shall be chosen by the Administrative Committee of the College on the basis of scholarship, character and need, with preference being given to local candidates. The Laura A. Kindig Trust was established in 1917, by the will of the late Laura A. Kindig, to provide for the "free education of girls and young women in

business, science, and literature." President J. E. Hartzler at that time endeavored to secure the benefit of this Trust Fund for Goshen College but did not succeed. The Trust was used to establish and support a nurse's training school at the Goshen City Hospital. With the discontinuance of this training school in June, 1937, the trustees were compelled to seek another object to which to devote the income of the Trust. It is very gratifying to know that the trustees of their own initiative approached the College and requested the arrangement which was set up to establish scholarships at Goshen College.

According to the terms of the Trust, the education given must be entirely free. Hence, the scholarships will be full scholarships paying the entire cost of tuition fees, which is approximately \$200 per year. The entire amount of the income of the Trust is available, and approximately fifteen to twenty young women will be awarded scholarships every year.

One advantage of this scholarship plan is that young women from all the four college classes will be recipients of aid, whereas hitherto scholarships have been available only to Freshmen and this should increase the enrollment in the upper classes.

Scholarship holders will be required to maintain a level of scholarship not lower than second group standing, which is an average of "B". The Laura A. Kindig scholarship will go into effect at once, with the second semester of this year. The following persons have been awarded scholarships for the second semester: Seniors: Louise Weaver, Esther Weber; Juniors: Ruth King, Isabel King; Sophomores: Francis Barnard, Esther Kolb; Freshman: Eunice Weaver, Christine Logan, Berniece Borders, Janice Wagner.

ITEMS FROM THE JANUARY MEETING OF THE LOCAL BOARD

William King, of Greentown, was appointed superintendent of buildings and grounds. He has been janitor at the Greentown High School for the past nine years and will assume his duties at Goshen, August 1. He is the father of Paul King, who is a Freshman here.

Professor H. Harold Hartzler was promoted from assistant professor to associate professor of mathematics.

The final appointment of John C. Wenger as instructor in Bible in Goshen College was made. He begins his duties next September. He expects to complete his work for the Doctor of Theology degree in the University of Zurich next July.

Plans were laid for the financing and construction of a new library building during the coming year. Details will be announced later.

NEW MISSION STUDY BOOK

A new mission study book intended to serve as a textbook for mission study classes and also as a handbook for the city missionary has just been issued by the Mennonite Publishing House. The book entitled, **Exalting Christ in the City, or The Why, What, and How of City Missions**, has been written by missionary J. D. Mininger, beloved superintendent of the Kansas City Mission, at the request of the Mission Study Committee of the Mennonite General Conference. Brother Mininger is the husband of Hettie Kulp, who graduated from the Elkhart Institute in 1900. The new mission study book contains 232 pages. The paper binding sells for \$.50 and cloth binding for \$.75.

ALUMNI NEWS-LETTER

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EDITORIAL CHAT

"Every Alumnus a Contributor Every Year" continues to be the slogan of your Alumni Association.

The alumni office appreciates the many expressions of appreciation of the NEWS-LETTER which alumni are sending in from time to time. We don't claim that our fan mail equals that of Lowell Thomas or Jack Benny but we do appreciate the constant appreciations of good will by our readers.

Pledges to the alumni plan are due and payable now. If you prefer, you may hand the amount of your pledge to your Regional Director, but our preference would be that you send your remittance direct to this office with a little note giving us news of yourself or your family. The Mennonite blood in most of our alumni seems to rebel at publicity of any kind but if we are to publish an interesting NEWS-LETTER, we must have news.

The alumni office is very grateful to alumni who have made the fine record of the Alumni Division possible during this first year. This hearty response has the effect of making one feel rather humble. We are sure that the interest which alumni are taking in placing Goshen College in the North Central Association has made the administration of the College and everyone connected with it feel more keenly the necessity of working toward this desired goal. It has also had the effect of inspiring everyone in authority here at Goshen College to new efforts to attain that goal.

There is one service which alumni of some colleges and universities are performing for their Alma Mater which up to this time has not received much attention among Goshen College Alumni. That is the placing of the College annual in the high schools from which alumni have graduated. Why could we not have 50 or 100 Goshen College alumni donate a *Maple Leaf* to the library of the high school from which they graduated? If individual alumni feel that this would be too much of an added burden, why not take up a collection among the alumni of a certain community? Let each one give ten or twenty-five cents toward placing a *Maple Leaf* in the library of his local high school.

ALUMNI DONATIONS

The Alumni Division, according to present indications, will exceed its record of 1936-37 both in the number of contributors and in the total amount contributed. In the fiscal year which closed on September 1, 1937, about five hundred alumni contributed \$4138.25. The goal for 1937-38, the year ending Sep-

tember 1, 1938, is 600 contributors and \$5000 in cash contributions. Last year the Alumni Division did not get under way until after Christmas. This year the cash contributions from October 1 to December 31 already total \$631.50. Since January 1, contributions are coming into the Alumni office with practically every mail. Following is a list of contributors from October 1 to December 31. Will your name be included in the list of contributors to be printed in the March NEWS-LETTER?

Class of 1900

M. L. Steiner

Class of 1901

F. S. Ebersole

Class of 1904

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Reist (Lulu Greenwalt)

Class of 1907

Ira Y. Miller

Class of 1908

Joseph Grabill

Class of 1909

Austin Landis

Mrs. J. W. Shank

Class of 1910

Anna Hoover

J. W. Shank

Class of 1911

Mr. and Mrs. Allen H. Erb

Class of 1912

W. C. Ebersole

Class of 1914

Dr. Charles O. Hershey

Class of 1916

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bollman (Amelia Wengard)

Mrs. Kathryn Spiegle Blough

Class of 1919

Harvey Hartzler

Mrs. Esther Schott Lamse

Class of 1920

Mrs. David Sommer (Viola Spiker)

Class of 1922

Florence E. Bender

Amos S. Ebersole

David Sommer

Howard C. Yoder

Class of 1923

G. Maurice Long

Class of 1924

Mrs. Howard C. Yoder (Ethel Good)

Class of 1925

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Litwiller

Dr. Esther Smucker Hodel

Class of 1926

J. A. Detweiler

Class of 1927

Mrs. S. M. King (Nellie Zook)

Class of 1928

Jay H. Eberly

Mrs. I. Mark Ross (Eliza Brenneman)

Class of 1929

Dr. Cecil K. Bender

Ira Hoover

Edna Oyer

Mrs. Gordon Miller (Rozetta Ropp)

Class of 1930

Mrs. Paton Yoder (Hazel Marie Smucker)
Lela Schertz
Alma Zehr

Class of 1931

Freeman Gingerich
Paul Slabaugh
Mrs. J. W. Swope (Mary Hertzler)

Class of 1932

Ada Burkhardt
Paul Lantz
James Steiner
Mrs. Harry Leatherman (Fannie S. Brunk)

Class of 1933

Adeline Aschliman
John E. Coffman
Irene Eschliman
Milton Gascho
Ross L. Gerber
Harry Leatherman
Orie A. Miller
Joe W. Swope
Vera K. Yoder

Class of 1934

Esther Eberly
Elsie Shank

Class of 1935

Agnes Aschliman
John Lehman
Mrs. Ross L. Gerber (Ruth Hertzler)
Iva Smucker
Roy Umble
Paton Yoder

Class of 1936

Marjory Conrad
Ralph Gerber
Lois Gunden
Karl Massanari
Caroline Smucker

Class of 1937

Ira Amstutz
Robert Good
Flossie Lehman
Kathryn Lehman
Erma Martin
A. Roscoe Miller
Maude Swartzendruber
Carrie Yoder
Dwight Yoder
Dwight Weldy

Class of 1938

Andrew Bean

Faculty

Professor C. F. Byers

WITH THE FACULTY

On December 5, President Sanford Calvin Yoder, accompanied by a quartet conducted a mission meeting at Detroit, Michigan. President and Mrs. Yoder, with their daughters, Marguerite and LaVerne, spent the holiday season with their son, Myron S. Yoder and family, at Sarasota, Florida. En route they visited Gladys Burkhardt 32 at Knoxville, Tennessee, where she is employed by the TVA. President Yoder returned to the campus in time for the opening of school, January 4. On January 9, he conducted the funeral of Mrs. Herner at Cullom, Illinois.

Dean H. S. Bender spent the week-end of October 23-24 near Kalona and Wellman, Iowa, where he gave a series of addresses on peace in several of the Mennonite and Amish churches. As chairman of the Peace Problems Committee of General Conference he was invited into the community by the bishops of these churches to give addresses on the Mennonite position on war, peace, and military service in the light of present conditions. The first address was on Saturday evening, October 23, followed by three addresses on Sunday. During the week-end of November 2-7 Dean Bender visited a number of churches near Bloomington and Eureka, Illinois, in the interests of the Mennonite Central Committee to encourage support of the colonization work among the Mennonite refugees in Paraguay. He gave two addresses at the Peace Conference which was held at Prairie Street Mennonite Church at Elkhart, Indiana December 3-5. He spent the holiday week, December 27-31 in Philadelphia and New York on business for the Mennonite Central Committee. On Tuesday, December 28 he read a paper at the annual meeting of the American Society of Church History at Chester, Pennsylvania, entitled, "Conrad Grebel, the Founder of Anabaptism." The paper will be published in *Church History*, the official magazine of the society. On Friday, December 31, in Philadelphia, he attended a meeting of the Committee on Spain which is conducting relief work in Spain, and also a meeting of Quakers, Mennonites and Brethren, who are planning to carry a test case of citizenship for a Mennonite conscientious objector, to the United States Supreme Court in the near future. He took part in a peace meeting of representatives of historic peace church colleges of the Middle West which was held at Winchester, Indiana, October 29-30, and spoke on questions relating to peace and war at several places including the following, Union Center Farm Bureau on October 14, Bethel Evangelical Church, Elkhart, Indiana, on November 14, Kiwanis Club of Bremen, Indiana, on November 16. He spoke to the Fort Wayne Woman's Club on October 26, on "The Essence of German Fascism," and to the Mennonite Missionary Societies of Indiana at Topeka, Indiana, October 28 on "Mennonites of Brazil and Paraguay." He attended the annual meeting of the Association of American Colleges at Chicago, January 19-21.

Business Manager, C. L. Graber, has spent most of his time on the campus, and finds that with an increased student body, there is a great deal more of all kinds of work affecting his office. He made a trip to New York and Pennsylvania the middle of November in the interests of the College and also in the interests of the land purchase being made by the Mennonite Central Committee in Paraguay for the colony there. The Business Manager is also pastor of the College Church, and with the new branch church at North Goshen, pastoral duties are naturally multiplied. The field work for the Business Manager is materially reduced with the addition of a regular field representative in the person of I. E. Burkhardt. Professor Burkhardt is assisted by Sylvanus Yoder of Middlebury, Indiana, and these men have taken over the field work formerly done by the Business Manager in the solicitation of funds.

Dr. M. C. Lehman, president of the Alumni Association, conducted a series of evangelistic services at the Bethel Church near Garden City, Missouri, De-

ember 23-27, and was director of a Young People's Institute at the same place, December 27-30. He held a service at Mt. Zion Church near Versailles, Missouri, on the evening of December 31. On the evening of January 5, he spoke at the First Methodist Church in Goshen, on the subject, "Prayer for the Church." On Monday, January 10, he gave an address before the Ministerial Association of Elkhart County, at Wakarusa, on the subject "Present World Conditions and the Christian Church."

During the forepart of November, Irvin E. Burkhardt, field secretary for Goshen College, visited churches in western Indiana and central Illinois. Over the Thanksgiving season he delivered a series of Bible lectures in the Mennonite church at Midland, Michigan, on the general theme, "The Life of Christ in the Old Testament." During the month of December, he visited churches in western and central Ohio and northern Indiana. He reports that the work of Goshen College is much appreciated by an ever-increasing circle of friends and supporters. Friends of the Institution rejoice that the College has made no debts for a period of six years and that during each year for the last four years a substantial reduction was made on the outstanding indebtedness. A growing student body is also a source of satisfaction to the constituency. And last, but not least, is the fact that each year a number of young people find their way into the working forces of the Church in such activities as Sunday School work, summer Bible schools, young people's activities, missions (both home and foreign) and the ministry. Decreased indebtedness, a growing student body, and an ever-widening stream of workers from the College show that the institution is prospering and is fulfilling the mission for which it was founded.

Doctor Paul Bender, head of the Department of Physics, attended meetings of the American Association of Physics Teachers and the American Physical Society, of which organizations he is a member, at Indianapolis during the holiday week, December 27-30. These organizations met in connection with the annual winter meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, with which organization they are affiliated.

Miss Stella Kauffman 34, librarian of the College, attended the Mid-Winter meeting of the American Library Association held at the Palmer House in Chicago December 27-29.

The heads of the College science departments attended the annual meeting of the Indiana Academy of Science at Manchester, Indiana, on Friday and Saturday, November 5 and 6. This organization is interested in the advancement of science and in research and study in scientific fields. College and high school teachers of the various fields of science, and research scientists are members. The academy meets annually for a discussion of the latest developments. The following Goshen professors attended: Dr. Silas Hertzler of the Psychology and Education Department, Dr. S. W. Witmer of the Biological Science Department, Dr. Glen R. Miller of the Chemistry Department, Dr. Paul Bender of the Physics Department, and Dr. H. Harold Hartzler of the Mathematics Department.

Three Goshen College instructors, Miss Wyse, Miss Royer, and Dr. Silas Hertzler went to Lafayette, Indiana, Friday, November 12, to attend the thirteenth annual Critic Teachers and Supervisors Conference held at Purdue.

Several of the faculty members took part in a Peace Conference held at the Prairie Street Mennonite Church in Elkhart, the week-end of December 5. President Sanford C. Yoder, Dean H. S. Bender, Dr. Edward Yoder, Dr. M. C. Lehman, C. L. Graber, and Dr. Guy F. Hershberger were speakers. The topics discussed were: "The Church and the State," "New Testament Teachings on Peace," "Mennonites in the World War," "Old Testament Teachings on Peace," "Organized Peace Work in the Mennonite Church," "A Program of Action in the Event of War," and "Our Responsibility as a Non-resistant Church."

Willard H. Smith 28, associate professor of history and political science, gave an address at the nineteenth Annual Indiana History Conference at Indianapolis on Saturday, December 10. His subject was "Schuyler Colfax, The Whig Editor," which is a chapter from Professor Smith's forth-coming doctoral dissertation. Professor Smith's classes are so arranged that he can spend Tuesday and Thursday of each week in research at South Bend or Chicago. Each Tuesday evening he teaches a history course at Hammond, Indiana, for the Indiana University Extension Division.

PROFESSOR YODER RECEIVES DOCTOR'S DEGREE

Associate-Professor Samuel A. Yoder 28 was granted the degree of Doctor of Philosophy by the graduate faculty of the Indiana University in October. The title of Professor Yoder's thesis is "The Prose Style of Richard Hooker." Professor Yoder was granted his Master's degree at Harvard University a year after he graduated from Goshen College. He began his service as instructor in English at Goshen College in Sep-



Associate Professor Samuel Alvin Yoder, Ph.D.

tember, 1930. Since that time he has been a regular member of the Goshen College faculty but was granted a leave of absence to attend the University of Michigan for three semesters and during the past two years he was absent on leave to continue his study at Indiana University. During his residence at Indiana University he was an assistant in the English De-

partment, teaching courses in Freshman Composition. During the past year he asked for an additional year's leave in order to accept an offer to teach for a year and a summer at Wheaton College, Wheaton, Illinois. Dr. and Mrs. Yoder spent Thanksgiving vacation on the campus visiting friends and renewing old acquaintances. Dr. Yoder proved himself an excellent after-dinner speaker in the toast which he gave at the annual Thanksgiving dinner. Students and faculty of the College are looking forward to Professor Yoder's return to the campus in the fall of 1938.

MENNONITE RELIEF IN SPAIN

Alumni will be interested in the following editorial which appeared in the Goshen Daily News Democrat in the issue of October 19:

"The Mennonite church of North America has announced that it will send aid to the starving women, children, and other refugees in Spain. Reports from Spain indicate that conditions among those refugees are critical, and that famine is imminent.

"The Mennonite church makes it clear that its aid is to be completely non-partisan. It is not taking sides in the war. The church disapproves of war, but recognizes the fact that Christian charity does not discriminate. The church is interested only in alleviating the suffering of humanity.

"Many other organizations have undertaken to collect relief for Spanish citizens, but most of them are inspired by partisan motives. They ask aid for one side or the other, with a view of helping one cause against the other. The Mennonite church professes no interest in the outcome of the struggle and proposes only to help individuals who are victims of this unhappy war.

"It might be said here also that anyone who desires to contribute to the aid of Spanish war sufferers may feel confident in permitting the church to see that contributions are properly administered. It has been shown in recent exposes that some organizations have asked public contributions for Spanish war victims, but that little if any of the money collected ever reached Spain. There need be no doubt about the integrity of the Mennonite church."

The general plans and set up of the relief unit was given in an article which appeared in the Goshen News Democrat on October 18. The article entitled "Mennonite Church Plans to Send Relief to War Victims in Spain" is as follows:

"Reports of increasing suffering in Spain, particularly among women and children and hundreds of thousands of refugees, as a result of which appeals for aid have been becoming increasingly more urgent, have led the Mennonite Church of North America to decide to undertake relief work in that country. Months of civil war have brought many Spanish people to the verge of starvation. Refugee children, mothers, and infants lack milk, bread, meat, clothes, medical supplies, and soap. "Famine," reports a League of Nations commission, "may make its appearance with startling rapidity." Already tuberculosis, rickets, and other diseases of undernourishment ravage a generation of children. The imminent approach of winter is harsh. The Mennonite Relief Committee, which is the official relief agency of the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities, has outlined a definite program to raise funds and clothing and to send relief workers to Spain in the immediate future. Action was taken last week at a special meeting held

at Elkhart, the headquarters of the board of missions, to launch an immediate campaign. An appeal is being made to every individual congregation of the denomination throughout the United States and Canada to take an offering for Spanish relief, and to collect old and new clothing for shipment. Clothing from the middlewest is to be sent to Mrs. J. B. Moyer, 1225 S. Prairie Street, Elkhart, Indiana, where it will be packed for shipment abroad. Similar centers have been established for other areas of the country. The goal set for the campaign is \$15,000 for the next six months. Two workers have been appointed to sail for Spain on November 3 from New York. They are Reverend D. Parke Lantz, missionary on furlough who has spent fifteen years in Argentina and Levi C. Hartzler, a graduate of Goshen college of the class of 1935, who has been superintendent of the Mennonite Gospel Mission in Chicago for the past two years. They will remain in Spain from four to six months, distributing food and clothing and supervising other forms of relief work. Headquarters for the relief mission will be in Valencia. The Mennonite church is co-operating with other Christian groups, particularly with the American Friends Service committee of Philadelphia, which has been engaged in relief work in Spain for the past six months. The entire program is



L. C. Hartzler,
B.A.

non-partisan and relief will be brought to the needy on both sides of the civil war. Relief work of this sort is in line with the historic policy of the Mennonite church, which as one of the historic peace churches has always been ready to render relief to human suffering particularly when caused by war. A similar program of relief was carried on in France and Germany at the close of the World War, and a few years later during the great famine in Russia when over a million dollars was contributed by Mennonites and distributed by the Mennonite Relief committee. While the present program is appealing primarily to the membership of the Mennonite church, gifts from others who desire to aid in Spanish war relief will be accepted and forwarded. D. D. Miller, treasurer of the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities, at 1711 Prairie street, Elkhart, Indiana, is acting as the treasurer for the Spanish relief campaign."

The work of the new unit is getting under way. The following extract from a letter written by Levi Hartzler 35, was printed in the December 30 issue of the Gospel Herald:

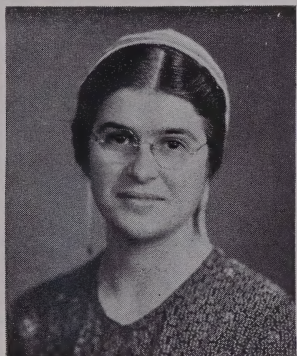
"Milk is one thing that is hard to get, and it is for that reason that the largest per cent of the relief supplies are various kinds of milks, condensed, evaporated, or powdered. . . . A large order for milk was sent to London yesterday on the basis of our co-operation and with our approval. . . . About the clothing again . . . I do not know if any has been shipped yet or not, but we can use any amount of good, warm clothing here. The sun is very nice and warm when you can get where the sun strikes, but the nights and cloudy days are very disagreeable. I find myself wearing more clothing than I used to wear at home during cold weather, and yet we have no frosts. . . . No mail has come to us since we are in Spain, and we feel rather cut off from the folks back home. It does take time to get mail through, because of the

censorship. . . . There will not be much of the Christmas spirit we are used to back home or that was characteristic here. . . . We hope to be able to show the Christmas spirit by our lives. Those of you who are enjoying the blessings of the United States, which are God-given, will be remembering us in prayer. How we have appreciated the prayers which have ascended in our behalf! May God bless each faithful prayer helper."

The letter was written from Murcia, in southern Spain on December 4. D. Parke Lantz and Levi Hartzler reached Murcia, November 23. Their address is Hotel Victoria, Murcia, Spain.

MISSIONARY TO AFRICA

Among the more recent arrivals on the African Mission Field is Phebe Yoder, R.N., of La Junta, Colorado, formerly of Windom, Kansas. She was graduated from Goshen College in 1934 with the degrees B.A. and Th.B. Miss Yoder is a niece of the late Lydia Heatwole, first supervisor of nurses at the



Miss Phebe E. Yoder, B.A., Th.B., R.N.

Mennonite Hospital and Sanitarium at La Junta, Colorado. Since early childhood, Miss Yoder has felt that her future work awaited her in some mission field. The call to go to the African field, however, came as a complete but pleasant surprise. Her intense devotional life, deep spirituality and absolute consecration, as well as her broad scholastic and professional preparation, should make her a valued worker in the foreign field. The mission is under the supervision of the Eastern Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities.

INTERCLASS DEBATES

In the first interclass debate of the year, the Freshman negative team won from the Sophomore affirmative on Friday evening, December 3. The question for the debate was: Resolved, that the National Labor Relations Board be empowered to enforce arbitration in all industrial disputes. The Freshmen were represented by Dwight Stoltzfus, Charles Ainley, and Robert Kreider and the Sophomore class by Clifford Yoder, Orville Roth, and Virgil Gerig. Dr. Guy F. Hersberger, judge for the event, presented a critique and decision following the debate.

The second debate was held on December 20. The Freshman: John Leatherman, Ernest Smucker, and Reuben Witmer upheld the affirmative and the Sophomore team that had debated affirmatively in the first

debate defended the negative. Paul Yoder as critic judge awarded the decision to the negative.

PEACE ORATORICAL CONTEST

The Peace Oratorical Contest was held in Assembly Hall during the regular chapel period on Friday, November 26. The first oration "Down to Brass Tacks" was given by J. Artley Leatherman. Vernon Schmidt spoke on "Mennonites and War." "Et Tu, Brute" was the subject chosen by Waldo Lehman, and "Peace, the Christian Decision" by Robert Walter. First place in the contest was given to Waldo Lehman who will represent Goshen College at the State Peace Oratorical Contest next spring. Second place went to Robert Walter, and third to J. A. Leatherman.

WEDDING BELLS

On October 6, 1937, at the Mennonite Church at La Junta, Colorado, immediately preceding the regular mid-week prayer service, Ernest Gillis of Denver, Colorado, and Lilly Mae Esch 32, R.N., daughter of Bishop and Mrs. Menno Esch of Mio, Michigan, were united in marriage, Allen H. Erb 11, officiating. Miss Esch has been employed as a supervisor in the Mennonite Hospital at La Junta and will continue her service in that position.

On Friday, October 29, Esther E. Leininger 29, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude W. Leininger of Elkhart, became the bride of Arnold Greer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Greer. The ceremony was performed by Bishop Sanford C. Yoder, President of Goshen College.

On November 7, Lester O. Yoder 32, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Yoder of Goshen and Florence Davidhizer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Davidhizer of northeast of Goshen, were united in marriage at the Davidhizer residence, the Reverend S. M. Whetstone, pastor of the First Brethren Church of Goshen officiating. Mrs. Yoder is a graduate of Goshen High School of the class of 1934. Mr. Yoder is employed as a railway mail clerk and is stationed at the Chicago Terminal Railway Post Office. Mr. and Mrs. Yoder reside in Maywood, Illinois.

On Sunday, November 14, Charles Stouder, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stouder of Nappanee, and Evangeline Weaver 36, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Weaver of Foraker were united in marriage in the home of the bride, the Reverend Paul Lantis officiating. Mr. Stouder graduated from Manchester College in 1936. Both Mr. and Mrs. Stouder teach in Union Township, Elkhart County: Mrs. Stouder at the Strycker School and her husband at the Swove-land School.

On November 26, Mary K. Ebersole, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Ebersole 01 (Lavona Berkeley 00) of 1140 South 8th Street became the bride of Woodrow W. Luginbuhl of Cleveland, Ohio, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Luginbuhl of Bluffton, Ohio. The wedding took place in the Eighth Street Mennonite Church of Goshen, the Reverend G. S. Stoneback, acting pastor of the church and former classmate of the bride and groom at Bluffton College officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Luginbuhl will make their home in Boonville, Indiana, where Mr. Luginbuhl is employed as a

clerk with the Central Telephone and Telegraph Company.

On December 12, Viveron Hoffman, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Hoffman of 213 East Waverly Street, Goshen, Indiana, and Mary Weaver, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Weaver, of near Syracuse, Indiana, were united in marriage at the bride's home. Mr. Hoffman is employed by the Western Rubber Company.

On the evening of December 24, Karl Massanari 36, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Massanari of Fisher, Illinois, and Christine Yoder x37, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Yoder of West Liberty, Ohio, were united in marriage at the home of the officiating minister, Bishop S. E. Allgyer, near West Liberty. Mr. Massanari teaches music and English in the Mahomet, Illinois, schools near his former home. Mr. and Mrs. Massanari are at home in Mahomet.

On December 29, Linus Eigsti 33, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Eigsti of Tiskilwa, Illinois, and Lorene Rocke 35, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Rocke of Tiskilwa, Illinois, were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, Ira Eigsti, brother of the groom officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Eigsti expect to reside at Buda, Illinois, where Mr. Eigsti is in business as a distributor of petroleum products.

JUNIOR ALUMNI

Priscilla Ellen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Johns 38, was born on October 31. Mr. Johns after graduating from the academy in '29 and taking one year of college work at Goshen College spent several years in Virginia. He has returned this year to complete the elementary teacher training course.

Ronald Owen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Martin x34, of R. 4, Elkhart, was born in Goshen Hospital, December 1.

John David, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Milton Brunk x29 (Elsie M. Yoder x30) was born in Hagerstown, Maryland, on November 3. Mr. Brunk has sold his bread route at Goshen, and Mr. and Mrs. Brunk have moved to Hagerstown, Maryland, where Mr. Brunk is in business with the Baer Brothers and his brother Niemann.

John Eli, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eli Stoltzfus 22, of West Liberty, Ohio was born in Mary Rutan Hospital, Bellefontaine, Ohio, on October 9. Mr. Stoltzfus is an instructor in the West Liberty High School.

Patricia Louise, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel S. Miller, of Benton, Indiana, was born at Goshen Hospital on October 30. Mr. Miller is pastor of the Clinton Brick Church in Clinton Township and principal of the Benton Schools.

Robert Lee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Zook x38, was born December 1 at West Liberty, Ohio.

Marion Kay, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ora M. Yoder 31, of Shipshewana, was born at the Goshen Hospital on January 5.

James Stephen, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Turner (Violet Bender x22) of Frederick, Maryland, was born on December 30, just six hours before the birthday of his brother.

NECROLOGY

Mrs. William S. Gehman (Ella Kulp 04) died Sunday, November 17, at her home near Rush Lake, Saskatchewan, Canada. Mrs. Gehman left Elkhart with her husband in 1911. She is survived by two sisters, Mrs. J. B. Moyer, of Elkhart and Mrs. Arthur L. Guilliom (Nancy Kulp 04) of Indianapolis. Mrs. Gehman was a daughter of Lewis Kulp, former friend and liberal supporter of Goshen College, after whom Kulp Hall was named.

Mrs. Sarah E. Herner, widow of Benjamin Herner, died on January 6, at her home, 1410 South Eighth Street, Goshen, Indiana. She was born near Wakarusa, November 1, 1866, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Butler. Surviving is her daughter-in-law, the widow of the late Edwin Herner 33 (Marie Miller x29) and her two children, Edwin Junior, and Charlene. Funeral services were held at the College on Saturday afternoon, January 8, C. L. Graber, pastor of the congregation, and Dr. M. C. Lehman officiating. On Sunday, January 9, interment was made at Cullom, Illinois where further services were held at the Mennonite Church, President Sanford C. Yoder officiating.

PERSONAL

In November, Dr. and Mrs. C. K. Bender 29, and infant daughter, Marta moved from 106½ South Seventh Street, Goshen, into the residence at 712 South Third Street which they recently purchased.

Joanna Bontrager 10, employed in the bookkeeping department of the Salem Bank and Trust Company of Goshen, enjoyed a week's vacation in November, visiting relatives in Chicago Heights, Illinois.

In the reorganization of the Sunday school and Young People's Meeting of the Roanoke congregation near Eureka, Illinois on December 5, the following alumni were elected officers: Sunday School superintendent, Glenwood Schertz x33; chorister, Mabel Smith x31; church chorister, Raymond J. Schertz 22; Young People's Meeting chorister, Ethel Yordy 37; and Junior Department superintendents, Verna Schertz 33, Ethel Yordy 37.

R. R. Smucker 28 conducted evangelistic meetings for the Geiger congregation near Baden, Ontario, from November 29 to December 5.

Mr. and Mrs. Amasa Kauffman 29, are located at Orange Grove, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest E. Miller 17, (Ruth Blosser 17) and family, of the American Mennonite Mission at Dhamtari, India, arrived at New York harbor December 21 on furlough. They spent the Christmas season with Mrs. Miller's mother and relatives at New Stark, Ohio. They are temporarily located at 1711 Prairie Street, Elkhart.

J. C. Fretz 30, of Baden, Ontario, spent several weeks at the Mennonite Publishing House in December assisting in the shipping and book departments.

Rev. W. W. Oesch, of Washington Township, Elkhart County, was re-elected president of the Elkhart County Soil Conservation Association in a meeting held at Goshen on December 1.

Dr. D. S. Gerig, Jr. x26, who has a good position with the administration of the Social Security Act, has just received a very substantial increase in salary. Dr. and Mrs. Gerig reside at 2125 Bancroft Place, Washington, D. C.

Rev. and Mrs. Ralph Holderman x30, were called to Goshen on account of the death of Mrs. Holderman's mother, Mrs. William C. Chrisman, east of Goshen, on November 16. Rev. Holderman continues his highly successful pastorate at the Trinity Evangelical Church in Louisville, Kentucky.

Bishop T. K. Hershey 10, missionary to South America is the author of a new book containing twenty-one chapters and ninety-four pages, entitled "Old Time Revival." The material appeared first in a series of articles in the *Gospel Herald*. The title of the book suggests the nature of its contents. The subject of evangelism is discussed in a general way, then a few chapters on Mennonite evangelism, followed by a number of chapters on Bible evangelism, followed by discussion on helps and hindrances in evangelistic work. The book was published by the author and printed by the Mennonite Publishing House. It may be ordered from Lester Hershey 36, Scottsdale, Pennsylvania.

In a delayed report of the Illinois Church, Sunday School, and Young People's Conference held in the Mennonite Church near Freeport, Illinois, June 8, 9, 10, 1937, and printed in the *Gospel Herald* under date of October 21, the names of the following alumni appear: Committee of Labor Union Problems, J. N. Kaufman 17, C. Warren Long 29; Auditing committee, Ira Eigsti 23; Nominating committee, C. Warren Long; Sunday School Conference moderator, Leland Bachman 39; Young People's Conference Committee, Glenwood Schertz x33; Member, Young People's Problems Committee, Leland Bachman 39. Addresses were given by the following: S. Jay Hostetler, 23, J. N. Kaufman 17, Dr. George Troyer x16.

The work formerly done by Ernest E. Miller at Dhamtari, India, has been assigned to Samuel King and J. D. Graber 25. Brother King is acting treasurer and superintendent of the Primary School. J. D. Graber has been made principal of the Academy.

Corona Haarer 37, formerly of Shipshewana, Indiana, but more recently of Reading, Pennsylvania, is now on the working force in the Mennonite Publishing House. Her work, among other duties, will be that of German linotype operator.

About 200 brethren and sisters of the Lancaster and Franconia Conference districts drove to New York to bid the sailing missionaries God-speed when they left for the South American field, October 23. The group of missionaries included Bishop and Mrs. T. K. Hershey 10, Mr. and Mrs. Elvin V. Snyder 27, (Mary Fretz x30), Mr. and Mrs. William Hallman 29, (Beatrice Hershey 29) and Selena Gamber 33.

Dr. Floyd S. Martin 29, was elected president of the Goshen Medical Society at the monthly meeting held on December 2. Dr. C. K. Bender 29, was elected secretary.

A Young People's Institute was held at the Bethel Church, near Garden City, Missouri, December 28-30. The instructors were Dr. M. C. Lehman 14, Professor Walter E. Yoder, 33, Allen H. Erb 11, and Maurice A. Yoder 27. Lloyd Hartzler 38, was chairman of the committee on arrangements.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Roth 33 (Mary Musselman 33) of Ortanna, Pennsylvania, spent several days on the campus during December. They spent the Christmas vacation with relatives in Iowa.

The annual meeting of the Board of Directors of the Mennonite Historical Association of Goshen College was held Wednesday afternoon, November 11. The following officers were elected: Dean H. S. Bender 18, president; Dr. Guy F. Hershberger, vice president; Dr. Silas Hertzler 13, secretary; Dr. Edward Yoder, treasurer, and John Coffman 33, librarian.

C. Warren Long 27, superintendent of the Mennonite Mission in Peoria, Illinois, conducted a series of meetings at the North Goshen Mennonite church beginning on Monday evening, November 15. The meetings aroused unusual interest. A class of about forty-five is under instruction to be received into the church by water baptism.

John L. Yoder 11, of West Liberty, Ohio, was re-elected President of the Board of Education of West Liberty, on January 3. The West Liberty High School has introduced courses in the Bible and religious education. The classes meet for one period each Monday morning. The teacher of the Freshman class is Sam C. Plank x13. The Sophomore class is taught by John Y. King, pastor of the Bethel Mennonite Church, at West Liberty.

A. P. Hallman 31 of Akron, Pennsylvania, attended the National Shoe Fair at the Stevens Hotel in Chicago, January 3-6. Mr. and Mrs. Hallman visited friends in Goshen on January 7 and took their sisters, Anna Hallman 38, and Lois Yoder 41, out to dinner at Henry's Tea Room. Mr. Hallman has done highly satisfactory work as Regional Director for the Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, district.

John E. Bender 30, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, is state director of manuscripts in the historical survey project of the WPA. The work of the department under his supervision is the preparing of a list of historical manuscripts of Pennsylvania and indexing them. Mr. Bender had been director of this work for the city of Philadelphia and was recently promoted to the position of state director.

Idella Zuercher 34, of Dalton, Ohio, spent the Christmas vacation at St. Petersburg, Florida, the "Sunshine City," where the weather was more like the Fourth of July than like New Years.

Carl Hostetler 34, medical student at Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio, spent the holiday season in Florida. His trip included deep sea fishing and a very severe case of sunburn.

Several alumni had an important part in the recent reorganization of the educational work of the Mennonite Church. The last General Conference held at Turner, Oregon, voted to combine the work of several committees and set up an entirely new organization for this phase of the work of the Mennonite Church. The General Sunday School Committee, Young Peo-

ple's Problems Committee, and the Young People's Topics Committee have been superseded by the Commission for Christian Education in Young People's Work. The Commission consists of twelve members, each holding office for a six-year term. Six are elected by the biennial General Conference, one each by the Mennonite Board of Education, the Mennonite Publication Board, and the Board of Missions and Charities. The remaining three members are elected by the Commission. The General Conference appointees and the date of expiration of office of each are as follows: Bishop A. J. Metzler, 1943; Paul Erb dean of Hesston College, 1943; J. R. Shank, x01, 1941; John L. Horst, 1941; Milo Kauffman, president of Hesston College, 1939; and O. O. Miller 15, chairman of the Administrative Committee of Goshen College, 1939. Chester K. Lehman, dean of Eastern Mennonite School, Bishop Otis Johns x07, and Dr. M. C. Lehman 14, have been elected by the Education, Publication, and Mission Boards, respectively. Members elected by the Commission are Paul Mininger 35, Jesse B. Martin x26, and I. W. Royer 00. The present organization of the commission is as follows: Bishop A. J. Metzler, chairman; O. O. Miller, vice-chairman; Paul Erb, secretary-treasurer; I. W. Royer and Jesse B. Martin, fourth and fifth members of the executive committee; Secretary of Statistics, John L. Horst (Ellrose Zook and Ira Landis, assistants); Secretary of Sunday School, I. W. Royer; Secretary of Summer Bible School and Week Day Bible School, C. F. Yake (Noah Good, assistant); secretary of teacher training, Paul Mininger; Secretary of Young People's Meeting, John R. Mumaw; Secretary of Young People's Institutes, Paul Erb. The positions of General Secretary and Secretary of Young People's Problems are still to be filled.

The new addresses of the recently returned South American missionaries are: Bishop and Mrs. T. K. Hershey, Trenque Lauquen, F. C. O. via Buenos Aires, Argentina, South America; Mr. and Mrs. Elvin V. Snyder, Carlos Casares, F. C. O., via Buenos Aires, Argentina, South America; Selena N. Gamber, Bragado, F. C. O., via Buenos Aires, Argentina, South America; Mr. and Mrs. William E. Hallman, Tres Lomas, F. C. O., via Buenos Aires, Argentina, South America.

The Oak Grove Sunday School, near Smithville, Ohio, was reorganized on Thanksgiving Day for 1938. The following alumni are among the officials of the School: superintendents, Howard C. Yoder 22, Francis Smucker 37; primary superintendent, Emma Rohrer 32; Y. P. B. M. superintendent, Loyal Hostetler, husband of Elizabeth M. Burkholder, x31. Dayton Steiner, husband of Anna R. Schrock x31, is one of the superintendents at Pleasant Hill and Paul Zook x31, is Y. P. B. M. superintendent at Pleasant Hill.

Bishop N. A. Lind x01, of Tangent, Oregon, held a series of meetings for the congregation at Creston, Montana, beginning December 24.

Owen Martin, x40, is Sunday School chorister of the Olive Sunday School, south of Elkhart. Alice M. Housour 34, is librarian of the Sunday School and church chorister.

Lloyd Metzler 27, is one of the superintendents of the Nappanee Mennonite Sunday School.

Amanda Frey 27, accompanied her father, Deacon J. C. Frey, of Archbold, Ohio, to New York early in December. Brother Frey had been designated to arrange a more perfect understanding concerning the granting of clergy certificates to ordained ministers with the Eastern Clergy Bureau in New York.

The address of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Erickson 37, is 302 Sixteenth Street, N. E., Washington, D. C. After deploring Albert's many tirades in his journal and various other English papers, it is very consoling to note that he is enjoying the quiet life of a Benedict very much.

Angeline McPhail 36, is instructor in English and music at the high school at Columbiaville, Lapeere county, Michigan. Miss McPhail received her Master's degree in English language and literature at the University of Michigan on September 7. The title of her thesis is "An Annotated Edition of Shelley's Adonais with a Critical Bibliography and an Extended Critical Introduction." She did the work for her thesis under the direction of Dr. Earl Leslie Griggs. The thesis is being considered for publication. Miss McPhail spent the Christmas holidays in Vermont and Massachusetts. She found Springfield, Massachusetts, and all New England blanketed with snow and swept by storm in real "Snowbound" fashion.

Eldon Weldy x28, and Robert Gongwer 38, have been re-elected superintendents of the Holdeman Mennonite Sunday School near Wakarusa.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Shenk x37, and Ronald Shenk x33, spent the Thanksgiving season with friends on the campus. The address of the former is 21 Minnetta Lane, Greenwich Village, New York City.

The College quartet of the years 1933-37 held a reunion at West Liberty, Ohio, during the Christmas vacation. Raymond Troyer was home from Attica, Ohio, and C. Richard Yoder from Columbus, Ohio. William Friesen had run over from Princeton, New Jersey, and Dwight Weldy and Roy Umble motored to West Liberty from Goshen.

Maude Swartzendruber 37, is enjoying her work at the Mennonite Hospital and Sanitarium at La Junta, Colorado.

Wilbur Shenk 29, enjoys his work at the Collingswood, New Jersey High School. He is a member of a quartet that is receiving considerable local recognition.

The high school at Wayland, Iowa, has introduced a course in Bible study. Orie A. Miller 33 is the instructor.

M. L. Steiner 00, of 1823 St. Mary's Avenue, Fort Wayne, Indiana, attended the 1937 International Gideon Convention at Asbury Park, New Jersey, visiting friends and points of interest along the way. On Sunday following the Convention the Gideons placed 2500 Gideon Bibles in the Hotels of Asbury Park and Ocean Grove. Mr. Steiner was also an active member of the Gideon State Convention in Fort Wayne, in October, where nearly \$500 was collected for Bibles in and near the city. Mr. Steiner's daughter Mary Eva is teaching in the McCulloch city public school in the eastern part of Fort Wayne.

Agnes Aschliman 35, R. N. has returned to Texas to resume work in her chosen profession. Her address is 817 Texas Avenue, San Antonio, Texas.

Andrew Bean x38, is attending Normal School at Stratford, Ontario.

Bishop N. A. Lind x01, of Tagent, Oregon, is one of our many western brethren who greatly appreciated the General Conference. He writes: "Our 1937 General Conference is a matter of history. It was a great gathering. Those of you who live more in the central part of our church geographically cannot know what such a vast gathering has meant to the west coast." During the fall, Bishop Lind was engaged in his regular semi-annual tour among the congregations in Idaho.

Don Kreider 38, of Wadsworth, Ohio, is completing the work for the B.A. degree at the end of the first semester with a major in Economics and Commerce. On March 1, he will go to Akron, Pennsylvania, where he has accepted a position with the Miller-Hess Shoe Company.

Vesta Zook, commercial graduate in June, 1937, has a good position as stenographer with the firm, Yeo and Bilitzke, lawyers, of West Branch, Michigan.

Lyle Yost 37, of Hesston, Kansas, stopped on the campus for a few hours early in January following a Christmas holiday visit to Smithville, Ohio.

Professor and Mrs. Paton Yoder 34 (Hazel Marie Smucker 30) of Orange City, Nebraska, visited friends on the campus during the holiday season.

The address of Mrs. E. L. Fisher (Mary Ramer 10) has been changed from rural route one, Johnson, Kansas, to rural route two, Petersburg, Florida.

The Cow Testing Association at West Liberty, Ohio, reports that Deacon Eli D. Yoder's herd of twenty-one Holsteins won first place with an average milk production of 789 pounds during December and second place for a Holstein that produced 67.5 pounds of butter fat. Philip Yoder, x37, is manager of the herd and milks his cows three times a day.

Jacob Ramer 02, lives at Versailles, Missouri. One of his daughters is employed at Elkhart and worships with the College Congregation occasionally.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay J. Smoker 10, (Mary F. Landis 12) and children, Carl and Ardith, motored to Goshen and visited friends and relatives here during the Christmas holidays. Their son Robert who is employed in Detroit also spent the two holiday weekends in Goshen. Mr. Smoker is head of the science department in Marquette, Michigan, high school.

On January 11, Miss Olive Wyse 26, head of the department of home economics, gave an address to a group of local women known as the Homemakers on the economic and esthetic phases of the subject of clothing.

Mary Wenger x29, R.N., of Landour, India, has announced her engagement to John Detweiler of Missouri.

On Saturday, January 8, ten Goshen College varsity debaters served as critic judges in the North-eastern Indiana High School Debate Tournament.

Twenty-nine high schools sent three hundred debaters and their coaches to the tournament. Comments on the helpful criticisms and conscientious work of the Goshen judges were highly complimentary. Goshen College debaters who helped some seventy debaters from other colleges judge the debate were: Waldo Lehman, Emanuel Hertzler, S. Paul Miller, Lloyd Conrad, Isaiah Harley, Clifford Yoder, Virgil Gerig, Robert Walter, Mac Cripe, and Robert Kreider.

Edwin L. Weaver 26, of 6039 Kimbark Avenue, Chicago, Illinois is writing, for the *Youth's Christian Companion*, an interesting series of articles on the general theme "Christian Elements in Classic Writings." His contribution to the issue of January 16, was an examination and evaluation of the legends of King Arthur and his Round Table.

The same issue of the *Youth's Christian Companion* contained a well-written article, "From Barcelona to Valencia by Motor Lorry," by Levi C. Hartzler 35.

Alumni read with much interest the letter, "My First Impressions of Africa," by Phebe Yoder 34, in the January 13 issue of the *Gospel Herald*. Miss Yoder's address is Musoma P. O., Tanganyika Territory, British East Africa.

Orie A. Miller 33, of Wellman, Iowa, contributes a thought-provoking article to the January issue of the *Christian Monitor*: "Creating and Maintaining Interest in Our Young People's Bible Meetings."

Mr. and Mrs. N. O. Hoover 13, (Esther Smoker 15) who have charge of the Mennonite Hospital at Bloomington, Illinois, visited friends and relatives in Goshen during the Christmas season. Mr. Hoover has some very fine moving pictures of Michigan scenery which he took in October on a trip to the northern peninsula to visit the family of Mrs. Hoover's brother, Jay J. Smoker.

The article, "What Books Should I Read?" written by Sadie A. Hartzler 26, instructor in Eastern Mennonite School, and printed in a recent issue of the *Christian Monitor*, was reprinted in the December, 1937, issue of *The Christian Evangel*, official organ of the Central Conference of Mennonites, Reverend William B. Weaver 14, editor.

The Reverend Payson Miller 18, is acting editor of *The Christian Register*, founded in 1821, and printed at Boston. It is the oldest religious journal in America bearing its original title.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Hostetler 29 (Ardis Ebersole x30) have moved from Bellefontaine, Ohio, to West Liberty, Ohio. Mr. Hostetler is employed in the Exporting Department of the Truck Division of the International Harvester Company at Springfield, Ohio. The Springfield branch of the Truck Division employs six thousand men and ships trucks to practically every country in the world and many to the areas where our Mennonite missionaries are located in India, South America and Africa.

Mabel Roth 30, formerly a teacher in the South River, New Jersey, schools has been teacher of the fifth and sixth grades in the Waterford schools south of Goshen since last September. County Superintendent Ora Strycker reports that Miss Roth's room made the highest average on the mid-year examinations of any room in Elkhart County.

Dr. Guy F. Hershberger and Professor Willard H. Smith 28, attended a meeting of the American Historical Society at Philadelphia, December 29-31.

Bishop D. A. Yoder, x09, president of the Mennonite Board of Education, is principal of the 1938 Winter Bible Term at Goshen College. Assisting him are I. W. Royer, 00, pastor of the Mennonite Church at Orrville, Ohio, and I. E. Burkhart 26, field secretary of the College. This year's enrollment of eighty-nine students, forty-six women and forty-three men, breaks all previous records. Students are present from Ohio, Illinois, Iowa, Michigan, New York, Maryland and Indiana.

Dr. J. C. Meyer 16, professor of history at Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio, is enjoying a sabbatical leave. He spent the fall months studying and traveling in Europe. Dr. and Mrs. Meyer (Esther A. Steiner 21) and family are living at Sterling, Ohio.

L. J. Martin 28, decorating and painting contractor, has purchased the residence of his mother, Mrs. Ada Martin, at 1135 South Eighth Street, Goshen. Mrs. Martin makes her home with her daughter Catherine 27, Mrs. Erle Hutchison, at Ovid, Michigan. Mr. Martin spent the Christmas holidays visiting friends at West Liberty, Ohio.

Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Hartzler 04, (Mamie Yoder, 08) are building an imposing residence on the east side of South Seventh Street about one-half block north of the Parkside School. The structure is roofed, ready for the brick veneer, and building will be resumed next spring as soon as weather conditions permit. Early in December while Dr. Hartzler was lecturing in Missouri, he was stricken with appendicitis. He soon recovered from the operation and has returned to Indiana.

The Church Council of the College Congregation has recommended the ordination of Professor Paul Mininger 34 to the ministry to have charge of the new work in North Goshen. The Executive Committee of the Indiana-Michigan Mennonite Conference after giving Brother Mininger a doctrinal examination passed favorably on the recommendation. Just as we go to press we learn that the College Congregation is to vote on the recommendation on Sunday, January 23. The ordination should follow in a short time.

Raymond Yoder 38, who has been superintendent of the North Goshen Sunday School, has been asked to take charge temporarily of the Sunday services at the Chicago Mission and spends his week-ends at that place. Mr. Yoder will be graduated in June with the degrees, Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Theology.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Slabaugh 17, are spending the winter at Sarasota, Florida. The Mennonite winter residents have organized a Sunday School near Fruitville, Florida. The attendance on January 2, was seventy-eight. The officers of the Sunday School are: Dan Hettings, Haven, Kansas, superintendent; Walter Ebersole, Sterling, Ohio, assistant; J. F. Slabaugh, Goshen, Indiana, chorister. On Christmas Day eighty-five friends met at Sarasota Bay Beach and ate dinner together. In the evening they had a wiener roast. Seven states were represented: Ohio, Indiana, Michigan, Pennsylvania, Kansas, Florida, and Iowa. The day was very warm and comfortable.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Schertz of the College Congregation are spending the winter in Florida. Mr. and Mrs. Schertz have built a beautiful and comfortable eight-room house on the desirable building site just north of the campus at the northwest corner of Eighth Street and College Avenue. Mr. Schertz is one of the trustees of the College Congregation. Mrs. Schertz is a sister of Dr. C. Henry Smith, former professor of history of Goshen College.

After the page proofs were set up, the following four items were received—too late to be included on page eight:

Elizabeth Marie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Weaver 30 (Irene Lehman 32) of Drug, C. P., India, was born on November 3.

On January 6, Ann Jennings 36, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Jennings, of Concord, Tennessee, became the bride of Ivan Brunk, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph E. Brunk 15, formerly of Goshen now of 503½ Sapphire Street, Redondo Beach, California. The bride has been teaching in Tennessee. Mr. Brunk has had a civil service position with the U. S. Weather Bureau at Walla Walla, Washington, but has been transferred to Tacoma. They are at home in Tacoma.

Paul F. Flisher x38, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Flisher, of Nampa, Idaho, and Elma A. Roth, daughter of Mrs. Mary Roth, also of Nampa, were united in marriage on December 29, at the Nampa Mennonite Church, Pastor D. A. Good officiating. Mr. Flisher after spending one year at Goshen College completed his teacher-training course at the Nazarene College in Nampa. He is teaching his first year of school near Nampa. The bride is a sister-in-law of Mrs. Chris Roth (Adelia Hostetler 30).

Harold Stutzman x30, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stutzman, of Wenatchee, Washington, and Eva Peters, of Manson, Washington, were united in marriage on December 24. Mr. Stutzman is working with his father on a large fruit ranch at Wenatchee.

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SOME BASIC ASSUMPTIONS OF THE CHRISTIAN COLLEGE

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The Christian College of today is on the defensive. At one time there were few questions raised as to her right to exist but today her critics are legion. Some secular educators are convinced that the church-related college has served its generation but must now give way to the state university and purely secular college. Others feel that perhaps the Christian college has a place to fill but they are not sure what that place is to be. This group of educators has challenged the Christian colleges to formulate their distinctive purposes and objectives and justify their right to a separate existence. Another group of critics is from the church itself. These friends tell us that experience has proved that it is impossible to keep a college distinctively Christian. They too point to that large number of colleges which have allowed themselves to be influenced by the secularism of the modern world and have lost every semblance of their Christian origin. They point to many institutions which have been disloyal to the ideals and faith of the founders and are today producing men and women who have a thoroughly naturalistic outlook upon life and are indifferent, if not antagonistic, to the church and its program.

To those who believe in the Christian college these criticisms are disturbing and they cannot be thoughtlessly cast aside. They must be faced realistically. This means that the entire program of the Christian college must be reexamined by its friends. Its aims and fundamental purposes must be clarified and restated. Its curriculum and program must be evaluated in the light of these purposes. Where there has been failure or where there is weakness this must be admitted. Clear evidence should then be given that the Christian college of the future will be genuinely Christian—more so than merely in name.

As a first step in this direction a statement of the presuppositions or basic assumptions underlying the establishment of the Christian college is suggested in the following analysis. They are prerequisite for all subsequent thought about the Christian college and should be determinative of objectives, curriculum, organization, and policies at every point.

1. The church has a responsibility to her youth beyond that of membership in the local congregation. There was a time when the whole task of the church was thought to be to lead individuals to the point of acceptance of Jesus Christ as Saviour and initiate them into church membership by baptism. This continues to be a very important part of the work of the church but it cannot be separated today from the

equally valid demand of young Christians for nurture and teaching. They must be guided in their Christian experience and the church must make provision for the spiritual needs of all persons committed to her care. This idea of the primacy of the spiritual needs of persons is evidenced in the ministry of Jesus and the Apostle Paul. In their relationship to their disciples they were not limited by traditional practice if there was a problem of personal and spiritual need.

The church has a responsibility to her people outside of the regular Sunday service. Where there is personal and spiritual need some provision must be made by the church to supply that need.

2. True culture and piety are not mutually exclusive. They are complementary. An education without Christian experience is not a true education. To possess knowledge without a knowledge of God is like hearing a foreign language without an interpreter. Its true meaning is lost. Christian experience is not dependent upon an abundance of knowledge. However, knowledge may enrich Christian experience and increase the usefulness and sphere of service of any Christian. To place education in opposition to Christian experience is to miss the true significance of both. There is nothing inherent in the idea of education itself which is inimical to the welfare of the individual Christian, or to the interests of the Christian church. In fact, education of some kind is indispensable to the normal development of the Christian life in the individual and the maintenance of a healthy growth in the church.

3. The education given to youth in state universities and secular colleges endangers the values which the church desires to conserve. Few will deny that the thought and life that is advocated and exhibited on the campus of state universities today is in conflict with the thought and life which the church seeks to perpetuate and for which Christians stand. To place Christian youth in a purely secular and irreligious environment while he is securing his education handicaps him. It denies him the privilege of a true Christian education and endangers his faith at a time when he is immature.

4. A truly Christian education can be given only in a Christian institution, by Christian men and women. There can be no compromise between the Christian education and the secular education. The conflict between the two systems of thought is becoming more articulate and as the difference becomes greater the need for a separate institution which is distinctively Christian becomes more apparent.

5. The church needs men and women with training to carry on her work. God works through the medium of personality in the building of His kingdom. He has given men gifts which may be developed and used in this work. Before he receives training, the person himself must be consecrated to God and have his gifts quickened by the Holy Spirit. This however, is not a substitute for personal effort and training on the part of the worker. It needs to be emphasized again that there is no antithesis between consecration on the part of a worker and the necessity for thorough training and preparation. The church needs capable men who have dedicated their powers to the Kingdom of God and developed them to the point of their highest efficiency.

6. The Christian college can make a contribution to the church. Most colleges in America were established to prepare a qualified leadership in the church. For many years the churches recruited their leadership from the colleges. The Christian church represents a faith and a way of life. As soon as the colleges began to deviate from the faith that is taught in the Bible and began to substitute another way for

Christ's way of life, the seeds were sown for the separation of the colleges from their obligation to the church. It is essential that the college interpret and perpetuate this faith, and exemplify and teach this way of life, if it is to contribute to the church.

Young people coming from such a college will provide leadership for the church. Their services will be indispensable as the church faces its many-sided task in the midst of so many obstacles.

Not only should the college provide a general cultural education for those who are to serve the church but provision should be made to give special Christian training to those who will work within the church. This special training should include a mastery of the English Bible, a thorough understanding of the teachings and doctrines of the church, an appreciation of the origins of the church and its history, and an understanding of the methods of carrying on Christian work today with some practical experience in various types of work. By inspiring young Christians with Christian zeal, and providing them with the tools for actually putting that zeal to work, the Christian college will make an invaluable contribution to the Christian church.

7. The Christian college should operate under standards which are equal to or superior to those of any other college. A teacher is no less a scholar because he is a Christian. The administration of a college should be more efficient because it is managed by Christian men. The equipment and facilities for working should be the best.

8. Those who are teachers and administrators in the Christian college are stewards of the church. Instead of being motivated by the desire to accumulate wealth, they are controlled by a spiritual purpose that makes them willing to sacrifice in order that young people may be given the very best opportunities for receiving a Christian education. They should be specialists in their fields but they should seek to find ways to make their department of the school contribute its share to the church and the kingdom of God. They should be more interested in the development of Christian personality than in the extension of their own particular fields of knowledge.

9. Provision should be made for the education of capable Christian students who are prevented from receiving an education because of financial handicaps. The Christian college which is satisfied to serve only the rich is not truly Christian. There are many young people in the church who deserve a Christian education and who could increase their usefulness to the kingdom of God if they had the opportunity to get an education. The church cannot afford to deny them this privilege merely because their parents do not have money to send them to school. The church and college should cooperate in making funds available to those who otherwise would be unable to attend a Christian college.

10. The church should support the Christian college by its gifts. The college which is working with the church to promote the interests of the kingdom of God will need financial support over and above the income received from students. If the work of the Christian college coincides with the purposes of the church, they will work together harmoniously and will be indispensable to each other. The church will realize her indebtedness to the college and will gladly invest money in the conservation of her youth.

The above principles would seem to be axioms which may serve to guide the church and the college in their mutual relationships. Both are facing an unfriendly world and there is no time for a family quarrel. The world and the church need the Christian college. Our Christian colleges need to be made positively and thoroughly Christian. The implications of the above principles may point the way.

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EDITORIAL CHAT

We are still receiving an occasional complaint from alumni who are not receiving their NEWS-LETTER. If you are contributing to the Alumni Division of the Goshen College Accreditation Plan or if your annual dues are paid, you should be receiving the NEWS-LETTER or some other College bulletin six times or more a year. If you are not receiving it, we do not have your correct address. You will save this office much trouble and make sure of receiving each issue of the NEWS-LETTER if you will notify us whenever you change your address.

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ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTIONS NOW DUE AND PAYABLE

Annual subscriptions to the Alumni Division of the Goshen College Accreditation Plan were due on December 1. But since the plan started last year and we were late in getting started, we have sent out no letters reminding alumni that their payments are due. A considerable number of those who pledged annual gifts to the Alumni Division of the Goshen College Accreditation Plan have already paid their subscriptions for the second year. We hope that it will be possible for the remainder of you to pay within the next month. If you pay now, you will save this office the expense of mailing out a notice. If your subscription is not paid within the next few weeks, you will receive a little reminder through the mail. Letterheads and postage cost money. You can save your Alumni Association and your College considerable time and money if you will mail the amount of your annual pledge to this office as soon as you have finished reading this NEWS-LETTER.

A considerable number—about fifty—of the subscribers to the Alumni Division of the Goshen College Accreditation Plan stated last year that, although they did not care to make a pledge to send in a given amount annually, they intended to make an annual payment to the fund. Some of these, also, have already made their second payment. To those of you who have not, we would consider it a great favor if you would send in your donation within a short time, in order to save us the time and trouble involved in

sending you a letter to inquire whether you intend to make a donation this year.

In earlier issues of the NEWS-LETTER you learned of the success of the Alumni Division of the Goshen College Accreditation Plan during its first year. The money which you gave really makes a very substantial difference in the finances of the College. The \$4135 that alumni gave last year made it possible for the annual Goshen College financial report to show a net profit of \$2000 instead of a net loss of \$2000, as would have been the case if alumni had not donated so liberally.

In every way the prospects of the College are in advance of what they have been at any time in the history of the institution. With 320 students for the second semester, Goshen College enrollment has again surpassed all previous records. This is only one evidence of the growth of the College. In faculty also and in the development and expansion of the curriculum, Goshen College is giving evidence of substantial growth and healthy progress. The College is better able to serve its constituency than ever before.

Now while all phases of the College life and work are on the upswing, alumni can render a service which has never been possible for them before. In moving a stalled automobile, many times it is just an extra pound of push that makes the difference between progress or the lack of it. There never has been a time in the history of the institution when a large number of small gifts from alumni will do so much to insure the present progress and future standing of the institution as right now. Encouraged by the excellent response of alumni last year, the Administration is planning to make application for admission into the North Central Association in 1940. Without the same support from alumni during these next few years, as alumni gave during the past year, there can be no hope for success when the application is made. Ten or fifteen or twenty dollars may not mean very much to any individual alumnus but your combined gifts at this time will give the College the added push that will be necessary to place it in the ranks of accredited schools within the next few years.

DONATIONS TO THE ALUMNI DIVISION

Following is a list of alumni who have made donations to the Alumni Division of the Goshen College Accreditation Plan between January 1 and March 1. If your donation reached this office since March 1, it will be acknowledged in the next issue. While the donations are somewhat behind what the directors had hoped for this report, we are still considerably ahead of the donation report at this time last year. May we urge alumni to send in their contributions soon so as to avoid the necessity of sending out notices and to save unnecessary wear and tear on the automobile tires of the various Regional Directors?

Class of 1909

Mrs. A. N. Brenneman, Lima, Ohio

Class of 1913

Lillie Garwood, 713 East Wenger St., South Bend, Indiana

Class of 1916

Mrs. Howard Lehman (Vesta Miller), R. R. 1, Columbiana, Ohio

Dr. J. C. Meyer, Sterling, Ohio

Dr. S. E. Yoder, 610 Race Avenue, Lancaster, Pennsylvania

Class of 1917

Howard Lehman, R. R. 1, Columbiana, Ohio

Class of 1923

Nora Eschliman, Dalton, Ohio
S. Jay Hostetler, Dhamtari, C. P., India
Rhea Yoder, Middlebury, Indiana

Class of 1925

Mrs. Paul Yoder (Elva Lehman), North Lima, Ohio

Class of 1926

Edwin L. Weaver, Wakarusa, Indiana
Rev. Paul Yoder, North Lima, Ohio
Mrs. Samuel A. Yoder (Ethel Oyer), Wheaton College, Wheaton, Illinois

Class of 1927

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kortmeier (C. Ruth Yoder), Freeport, Illinois
Lulu Smith, Eureka, Illinois

Class of 1928

Dr. E. J. Camp, St. Paul, Minnesota
John Hershberger, Tucson Magnetic Observatory, Tucson, Arizona
Dr. Samuel A. Yoder, Wheaton College, Wheaton, Illinois

Class of 1929

LeRoy Hostetler, Bellefontaine, Ohio

Class of 1930

Mrs. E. J. Camp (Lois E. Lapp), St. Paul, Minnesota
Gladys Honderich, Goshen, Indiana
Bessie C. Moyer, Perkasio, Pennsylvania

Class of 1931

A. P. Hallman, Akron, Pennsylvania
Barbara Hershberger, Martelle, Iowa
Loren S. King, Kingscreek Mills, Urbana, Ohio
Mabelle Smith, North Lima, Ohio

Class of 1932

Mrs. A. P. Hallman (Esther M. Yoder), Akron, Pennsylvania
James Steiner, North Lima, Ohio

Class of 1933

Earle R. Brilhart, Scottdale, Pennsylvania
Mary Alice Jones, La Junta, Colorado
Wilma Lehman, North Lima, Ohio
Orie A. Miller, Wayland, Iowa

Class of 1935

Ruth Gnagey, Topeka, Indiana
Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Landis, 40 Main St., Souderton, Pennsylvania

Class of 1936

Mary Grove, Minonk, Illinois
Thelma Hostetler, Goshen, Indiana
Harold Schrock, 623 South Sixth Street, Goshen, Indiana

CAMPUS NOTES

Since the last issue of the NEWS-LETTER went to press, President Yoder has made several week-end trips to Chicago in the interest of the Home Mission which has been without a pastor for some time. While there he filled the regular preaching appointments. On February 11 and 12, he attended the meeting of the Executive and Mission Committees of the Mission Board of which he is secretary. On March 4, he left for a week-end business trip to his former home at Kalona, Iowa.

Dean H. S. Bender addressed the students of the Mennonite Seminary in Chicago on Friday evening, February 25. On March 11 he visited Wheaton College together with Paul Mininger, religious counselor,

conferring with some of the officials of the college there. On the same day and on the following day, March 12, he attended a peace conference in Chicago. Following the peace conference he took part in a meeting of the Mennonite Relief Committee which has charge of the Spanish relief work.

Business Manager C. L. Graber has recently spent considerable time in the field in the interests of the financial program of the college. His work included two extended trips, one to Wayland and Kalona, Iowa, and one to Kansas and Texas, where he also visited Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Reist. He is planning a similar trip to Eastern Pennsylvania during the latter part of March.

The annual meeting of the Mennonite Board of Education will be held in Chicago, Illinois, March 25 and 26, at the Mennonite Home Mission, 1907 South Union Avenue.

Professor I. E. Burkhart, field secretary of the College, served as principal in a two-weeks Bible Normal held conjointly by the three Mennonite Churches in and around West Liberty, Ohio. Over the week-end of February 20, he served as the principal speaker at the One-Hundred-Twenty-Second Quarterly Mission Meeting of the West Liberty Churches, held at the Bethel Church in West Liberty. He spoke on the subjects: (1) "A World of Unrest Demands a Witness of Peace," and (2) "Methods of Giving a Peace Witness to a World of Unrest." The week-end of February 26-27 Professor Burkhart conducted a Bible Conference in the Oak Grove church, south of West Liberty. The Bible lectures were on the following subjects: "God or Evolution," "Whose World is This?" "Was There a Flood in Primitive Times?" "What Is the Place of the Jew in the Plan of God?" During the week from February 28 to March 3, Professor Burkhart visited Holmes, Stark, Wayne, and Medina counties in Ohio in the interests of the College. On Monday, February 28, he spoke to the joint Elida and Lima, Ohio, young people's literary society. On Thursday evening, March 3, he rendered a similar service to the Archbold, Ohio, young people's literary society.

Dr. M. C. Lehman 15, president of the Alumni Association spoke to the Shore congregation on "Missionary Opportunities in India," on January 31, and to the Nappanee congregation on "All things to all Men," on February 6. He attended a joint session of the Missions and Executive Committees of the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities at Elkhart, February 11-12. On February 27 he preached to the Conservative Amish Congregation at the Town Line Church. On March 15 he addressed a group of Methodist Church Clubs on "Present World Conditions and the Christian Church" at the home of Judge Simpson.

DEVELOPMENTS IN THE TEACHER TRAINING FIELD

The training of teachers is one of the major functions of Goshen College. Since state requirements have set continually higher standards, the College has increased its facilities in keeping with the needs of its constituency, and the requirements of the various states from which its students come.

The latest developments in the requirements for the education of elementary school teachers in the states for which the College educates teachers include the following: three years of training for teaching in

Colorado beginning with September 1, 1937; three years of training for teaching in the public schools of Pennsylvania, beginning with the entering class, September, 1937; three years of training for certification in Maryland, already effective; four years of training, with bachelor's degree, for certification in Indiana, by 1940; four years of training with bachelor's degree, for certification in Ohio, by 1945. Goshen College is prepared to offer the new curriculums required in these and other states served by the College.

CHRISTIAN LIFE CONFERENCE

Climaxing the Winter Bible Term the Christian Life Conference was held the week-end of February 11-13. The Conference attracted a large number of visitors to the campus. Assembly Hall was far too small to supply seating room for everyone. The corridors were filled with people who could not enter, and many were turned away Saturday night, Sunday afternoon and evening without having heard the programs.

I. W. Royer, 00, one of the instructors of the Winter Bible School, served as moderator of the Conference. He was assisted by I. E. Burkhardt 26. Professor Walter E. Yoder 33 directed the singing for all the meetings. The theme, "Christian Service," was carried through the entire program.

Opening the conference on Friday evening Jesse Martin x26 spoke on the subject: "The Meaning of Service." Paul Mininger 34 spoke on: "Christ the Exemplary Servant." On Saturday afternoon, Dr. G. F. Hersherberger led a panel discussion: "How Can Young People Best Serve?" Ezra Bender, Emanuel Hertzler 38, Milo Kauffman, Viola Good 40, H. Clair Amstutz 33, Clarence Fretz 40, Timothy Brenneman 37, and Raymond Yoder 38 were in the panel. Saturday evening J. D. Mininger spoke on: "The Spirit in Which to Serve;" and C. K. Lehman discussed: "Who Can Serve?" On Sunday morning A. J. Steiner 00 preached a sermon in keeping with the theme of the conference. Sunday afternoon Ezra Bender spoke on: "Serving in the Home," and A. J. Steiner spoke on: "Serving in the Home Church." The speakers for the final meeting Sunday evening were Milo Kauffman and Jesse Martin. They spoke on the subjects: "Serving the Present Age," and "Saved to Serve," respectively.

The College choruses contributed to the evening programs. The men's chorus sang on Friday evening, the ladies' chorus on Saturday evening and the A Cappella chorus on Sunday evening. The men's and ladies' quartets also sang during the sessions of the conference.

THE WINTER BIBLE SCHOOL

The Winter Bible School held from January 3 to February 11, marked another increase in attendance over previous years. Following are the enrollments, churches, and states represented for the past four years.

Year	Students	States	Churches
1935	32	5	15
1936	50	6	23
1937	74	7	30
1938	89	8	34

The enrollment by states this year was: Indiana, 51; Ohio, 15; Illinois, 11; Iowa, 5; New York, 3; Michigan, 2; Nebraska, 1; Maryland, 1. The denominations were Mennonite, 84; Conservative Amish Mennonite, 4; Dunkard Brethren, 1. Men and women were quite evenly divided with 43 men and 46

women. From the Elementary Teacher Training course there were ten graduates, and for the completion of three six-week-terms of Bible study, eight persons received diplomas.

The regular instructors for the Bible Term were D. A. Yoder, x08, Elkhart; I. W. Royer 00, Orrville, Ohio; and I. E. Burkhardt 26, Goshen. Of the regular college faculty members the following offered each one course: President S. C. Yoder, Dean H. S. Bender, Silas Hertzler, Walter Yoder 33, Mrs. Glen Miller, Mary Royer 30, John Duerkson 37, graduate student in Bible, taught elementary music.

THE MINISTERS' STUDY COURSE

For the last several years the Winter Bible School has offered a brief study course for ministers. The course this year occupied the fifth week of the Bible term and the first two days of the sixth week. C. Warren Long 29, Peoria, Illinois, C. L. Graber, Goshen, Indiana, and I. E. Burkhardt 26, Goshen, Indiana, offered respectively I and II Timothy; Romans 12-16; and Sermon Preparation. The following ministers and bishops each gave one address to the ministers attending and then led in open discussion: Ira S. Johns, x01, Silas Weldy, I. W. Royer 00, Homer North x08, J. S. Hartzler, D. A. Yoder x09, and Edwin J. Yoder x08. About twenty ministers attended part or all of these classes.

THE MINISTERS' CONFERENCE

The annual Ministers' Conference followed the Ministers' Study Course, February 9-11. This conference was largely attended. The following speakers and leaders served on the program: Edwin J. Yoder, Topeka, Moderator; C. L. Graber, Goshen; J. D. Mininger, Kansas City, Kansas; C. K. Lehman, Harrisonburg, Virginia; A. J. Steiner 00, North Lima, Ohio; O. N. Johns x12, Canton, Ohio; E. E. Miller 17, Dhantari, India; J. B. Martin x28, Waterloo, Ontario.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY TO PUBLISH GREBEL BIOGRAPHY

During February plans for the publication of the book, "Conrad Grebel, the First Leader of the Anabaptists" by Dean Harold S. Bender 18, were completed at a series of meetings of the board of directors of the Mennonite Historical Society. The Society will be the publishing agent for the printing and sale of the book. The manuscript was originally written in German and presented by the author as a doctoral thesis at Heidelberg University in Germany in October, 1935. It has since been translated into English and enlarged. Present plans would have the book on sale before the close of the present school year. Place your order now if you wish to secure a copy of the first Mennonite (Anabaptist) leader. Orders and inquiries should be addressed to Dr. Edward Yoder, Goshen College.

THE DISCUSSION CONTESTS

Interest in the three discussion contests was unusually good this year and the contests of superior quality. The Freshman Men's Annual Discussion Contest was held during the chapel hour on February 18. Charles Ainlay, president of the Freshman Class, speaking on "The Rising Sun of Japan," won first place. Second, third and fourth prizes went, respectively, to Robert Kreider, of Wadsworth, Ohio; John Leatherman, of Lansdale, Pa., and Roman Gingerich,

of Kalona, Iowa. The ten dollars in cash prizes awarded to the winners of this contest are the annual gift of Waldo Thutt Stalter, of the class of 1927.

The Men's Annual Discussion Contest, open to all men of the College above the Freshman classification was held February 22. Lawrence Burkholder of Shipensburg, Pa., won first place. Floyd Shore, of Sterling, Illinois, and Wayne Yeater, of New Paris, Indiana, won second and third, respectively. This contest is sponsored by the Aurora Society which annually presents a prize to the winner. This year the prize was a handsome desk set.

Eunice Schrock, of Fisher, Illinois, won the Women's Annual Discussion Contest held February 25. Doris Stuckey, of Archbold, Ohio, and Miriam Stalter of Lima, Ohio won second and third, respectively. This contest, formerly sponsored by the Avon Society, is now sponsored jointly by the Avon and Vesperian societies which annually award a prize to the winner. The prize awarded to Miss Schrock was a pair of decorative book-ends.

INTERCOLLEGIATE DEBATING

Goshen debaters have met with unusual success during the present season. In early-season debates with Marion College and Taylor University, Goshen won three out of four contests. On February 18, Waldo Lehman, son of Dr. and Mrs. M. C. Lehman, of Goshen, and Paul Yoder, son of Preacher and Mrs. Edwin Yoder of Albany, Oregon, defeated the Marion College negative team at Marion, with Professor Dennis, of Taylor University, judging. On the same evening, the Goshen negative team, Emanuel Hertzler, and Isaiah Harley, both of Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, defeated Marion's affirmative at Goshen. The judge of the local contest was Merle Shanklin, coach of debate in Goshen High School.

On February 22, the two other A division teams of Goshen met the two Taylor University teams at Taylor in debates held at four o'clock in the afternoon. The Goshen affirmative team, S. Paul Miller, of Garden City, Missouri, and Clifford Yoder, of Columbiana, Ohio, suffered defeat at the hands of the Taylor University negative team, Dr. McConn of Marion acting as judge. In the other debate, Goshen's negative, Charles Ainley, of Mishawaka, Indiana, and Robert Kreider, of Wadsworth, Ohio, wrested a decision from Taylor's affirmative. The judge of this contest was the superintendent of the Gas City, Indiana, schools.

In the invitational debate tournament at Manchester College on February 25-26, Goshen teams broke all previous records for Goshen College teams in intercollegiate competition. On February 28, the *Goshen News-Democrat* carried the following first page article under the caption, "Goshen College Debaters make Record Showing in Intercollegiate Competition:"

"Tired but happy, the members of the Goshen college debate squad returned from the Manchester tournament on Saturday evening, with a record of twenty-one victories and thirteen defeats, thus breaking all previous records of Goshen debaters in intercollegiate forensic competition. The four teams in the A division won sixteen contests and lost eight. The two B division teams won five and lost five.

The first affirmative team—Waldo Lehman of Goshen and Paul Yoder of Albany, Oregon, won over Northern State Michigan Teachers College, Manchester and Bowling Green and lost to Wayne university, Illinois Normal university and Purdue.

The second affirmative team—Clifford Yoder of Columbiana, Ohio, and S. Paul Miller, of Garden City,

Missouri, defeated Hanover, Manchester, Ripon and Cincinnati and lost to Illinois Wesleyan and Akron university.

The first negative team—Emanuel Hertzler and Isaiah Harley, both from Montgomery County in eastern Pennsylvania—won from Eastern Illinois Normal, Capital University, Western State Michigan Teachers and Cincinnati and lost to Earlham and Lake Forest.

The second negative team in the A division, two Goshen college freshmen, Charles Ainley of Mishawaka and Robert Kreider of Wadsworth, Ohio, broke all previous tournament records made by any single Goshen college team by bringing home five victories out of six debates. They won from Wabash College, St. Viator, Evansville, Toledo university and Bowling Green. Their only defeat resulted from a very close debate with St. Francis College, a small Catholic institution near Altoona, Pa., which was represented in the Manchester tournament for the first time and won four of its six debates.

The Goshen affirmative in the B division—Lloyd Conrad of Louisville, Ohio and Virgil Gerig, of Smithville, Ohio, defeated Illinois Normal university and Manchester but lost to Albion, Northwestern university and Western State Teachers of Michigan.

The negative in the B division—Orville Roth, of San Antonio, Texas, and Dwight Stoltzfus of Aurora, O.—won from Purdue university, Cincinnati, and Manchester, but lost to Western State Teachers and Northern Teachers, both of Michigan.

So far this season Goshen teams have won twenty-four debates and lost fourteen, a percentage of .632."

The best previous tournament record made by a Goshen College team was that of the negative team in the A Division in 1935. The members of this team were Don Kreider 38, Donald Sahli 37, and Roy Umble 35. They won four out of five debates.

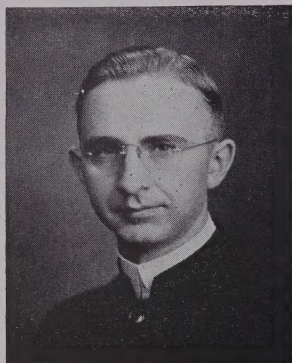
Of the schools entered in the Manchester Division of the Manchester-Huntington tournament, only one, Wayne University, with a total of eighteen victories out of twenty-four debates made a better record than Goshen College debaters who won sixteen out of twenty-four. Eastern Illinois Normal University won fifteen; Wabash, twelve; Illinois Normal University, twelve; Capital University, of Columbus, Ohio, eleven. At Huntington, Northern Illinois Normal University led with seventeen victories out of twenty-four debates and Olivet was tied with Goshen, winning sixteen out of twenty-four. Wheaton's four teams, entered in the Huntington tournament, won eleven debates out of twenty-four. A comparison of these figures indicates to some extent the superior work that Goshen men did in this year's tournament. Goshen faculty members who helped in judging at the Manchester debates were: Mr. Timothy Brenneman, Dr. H. Harold Hartzler, and Professor Umble.

PAUL E. MININGER

Paul E. Mininger was born in the Old People's Home at Marshallville, Ohio, on January 24, 1908, the eldest son of Brother and Sister J. D. Mininger (Hettie Kulp 00), who were superintendent and matron of the Home at that time. After the Home was destroyed by fire Brother and Sister Mininger moved to La Junta, Colorado, where Brother Mininger was ordained to the ministry, to serve the Holbrook, Colorado, congregation. In 1913, he was called to Kansas City to become superintendent of the Kansas City Mission. Here Paul and his brother Edward attended the Kansas City public schools.

After Paul completed the eighth grade in 1921, the father decided to move to Blue Springs, Missouri, twenty-five miles east of Kansas City, in order to have the boys away from city influences. Here Paul attended high school for two and one half years. Then he entered Hesston College and completed his academy work there in 1925. He continued his work as a Freshman at Hesston College during 1925-26. The following year, he taught a country school near Versailles, Missouri. It was the same school in which Bishop Daniel Kauffman taught as a young man. During the next three years, Brother Mininger was registered in Hesston College. He completed the Junior College course in 1928, and in the two years 1928-30, he took an advanced Bible course. He was assistant hall manager to Milo Kauffman during 1927-28, and was hall manager during the two years 1928-30. Following his completion of the advanced Bible course at Hesston in 1930, Brother Mininger taught a country school near Hutchinson, Kansas, in 1930-31, in an Old Order Amish and Mennonite community.

Then at the close of the school term, on account of his father's health, Brother Mininger returned to Kansas City to assist in the work of the Mission. For the next two years, he attended the Kansas City Baptist Theological Seminary, in addition to his work



Paul E. Mininger

at the Mission. He was graduated from the Seminary in 1933, receiving the B.D. degree after receiving the B.A. degree at Goshen College in 1934. During his connection with the Kansas City Mission, he was superintendent of the week-day church school conducted by the workers at the Mission.

These years of the depression were very trying ones to an ambitious young man looking forward to a settled position and an independent home life. But in January of 1933, in conversation with President Sanford C. Yoder, of Goshen College, Brother Mininger expressed a desire to be of greater use in the church. President Yoder invited him to come to Goshen College and promised him that he would be given an opportunity for self-support by doing extension work from the Bible department of the College. During the summer of 1933, Brother Mininger was united in marriage with Mary Ellen Erb, a Hesston College classmate. During the year 1933-34, both Brother and Sister Mininger were registered in Goshen College. She finished the work of the Junior year and he completed the requirements for the B.A. degree. He was very successful in his extension and class work. He conducted Bible extension work and Sunday school Teacher Training work with classes at the Forks, Yellow Creek, Holdeman, Nappanee, and Olive

Churches. In addition to these duties, he added to his income by doing class work in the Bible department. About the middle of this year he was invited to become a member of the College faculty after further graduate work.

In the fall of 1934, he entered the Eastern Baptist Theological Seminary at Philadelphia and registered in the School of Religious Education. At the end of the first semester, 1934-35, he was offered a scholarship in the School of Education of the University of Pennsylvania. He held this scholarship for the following three semesters. During this time, he attended both the University of Pennsylvania and Eastern Baptist Theological Seminary. In 1936, he was graduated from the seminary with the degree Master in Religious Education. His thesis was "The Function of the Bible in Evangelical Christian Education." During the year 1936-37, he continued his graduate study in the University of Pennsylvania and did graduate work in Christian Education at the Lutheran Seminary at Mount Airy. He was graduated from the University of Pennsylvania in February, 1937, with the degree, Master of Arts. During that same year he completed the language requirements and passed the preliminary examinations for the Doctorate. Brother Mininger will be working on his thesis and continuing his graduate study this summer.

Not all of Brother Mininger's time was spent in formal study during his residence in the East. In August, 1935, the superintendent of the Norristown Mennonite Mission became seriously ill and Brother Mininger was called to fill the position temporarily. He continued his work as superintendent of the Mission until October, 1936. The Mission is eighteen miles from downtown Philadelphia and Brother Mininger was obliged to make this trip as a commuter during this entire period.

Brother Mininger is an instructor in Bible and education at Goshen College. He is also religious counselor to the students. On February 13 of this year, Brother Mininger was ordained to the Christian Ministry, in Chapel Hall by Bishop D. D. Miller, bishop in charge of the local congregation. He has been ordained to serve as pastor of the new North Goshen Mennonite Church and preaches there regularly. On Sunday, February 27, baptismal services were conducted at the new church by Bishop D. D. Miller. Fifteen persons were baptized, five received on confession of faith and three by letter.

Brother and Sister Mininger live in the pleasant downstairs apartment in the newly remodeled South Cottage. They have one child, a daughter, Grace Eleanor, born May 7, 1935.

WEDDING BELLS

Harold Miller 37, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Miller of Springs, Pennsylvania, and Frances Hepfer 36, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Hepfer, of Pearl City, Illinois, were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents on February 19, J. N. Kaufman, great-uncle of the groom officiating. Mr. Miller teaches about six miles from Amboy, Illinois, and Mrs. Miller teaches in Forreston, Illinois. They attend church services at the Freeport Mennonite Church near Freeport and their address is R. R. 1, Amboy, Illinois, in care of D. S. Shaw.

On February 25, John J. Detweiler of Birch Tree, Missouri, and Mary Wenger x29 of Woodstock, Indiana, were united in marriage in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Abe Good, sister of the bride, at Nampa, Idaho. They will be at home at Birch Tree, Missouri, after March

20. The bride has been a nurse in the Students Hospital at Woodstock since 1935. She had gone to India with Dr. Florence Coopridier 10, now Mrs. P. A. Freisen, about 1915.

JUNIOR ALUMNI

Glendola Elain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert S. Ebersole, of Kokomo, Indiana, was born on Thanksgiving Day, November 25, 1937. Mr. Ebersole took the Elementary Teacher Training Course at the College in 1925-26. During the second semester Mr. Ebersole is completing the two-year Elementary Teacher Training Course.

Stella Marcella, first daughter and only child of Mr. and Mrs. John Mecum (Dorothy Blough x28) was born on June 24, 1937.

Ann Louise, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Reschly (Esther Roth 29) was born on August 11, 1937.

Ruth Esther, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Wenger x22 (Mary Schantz x20) of Monroe Township, Logan County, Ohio, was born February 17.

Howard Hugh, ten-pound son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Warye 17 of Champaign County, Ohio, was born February 19, the birthday of Mr. Warye's sister, Maude 08, wife of Dr. Harry G. Good, of Columbus, Ohio.

On February 22, a daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. W. Delmar Hershberger 27 (Mary Martin 29).

Kermit D., son of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Roth, of R. 1, Goshen, was born at the Goshen Hospital on February 23. Kermit is the first Roth grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Harry S. Roth x03 of College Avenue.

Deanna Mae, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ned Tarmann x34, of New Paris, was born at the Goshen Hospital on February 24.

Leonard Emil, first son of Dr. and Mrs. Leonard C. Kreider 31 (Rachel Weaver 31) of Newton, Kansas, was born on February 25.

Sarah Ellen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert H. Adams 35 (Hope E. Stutsman 34) of Wilson Avenue, was born March 4 in the Goshen Hospital.

Kathryn Marie, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Vilas Zuercher x35, of Dalton, Ohio, was born March 4. Dr. Zuercher enjoys a highly lucrative practice as a veterinary surgeon.

NECROLOGY

Nettie, daughter of Samuel and Katie (Mehl) Hostetter was born in Lagrange County, Indiana, May 28, 1870. She died at her home in Elkhart on January 16, 1938. On May 26, 1889, she was united in marriage with D. D. Miller, now a bishop in the Mennonite Church, who survives her. She was the mother of Orrie O. Miller 15, of Akron, Pennsylvania; Ernest E. 17, recently returned missionary to India; Truman T. x19, of Chicago, Illinois; W. Wilbur 22, of Columbus, Ohio; Samuel S. 32 of Benton, Indiana; Ida Mae (Mrs. B. F. Schertz) 14, of Flanagan, Illinois; Clara, (Mrs. Artley Augsburg) x20 of Middlebury,

Indiana; Kathryn (Mrs. Ray Yoder) x24, of Kalona, Iowa; Alice (Mrs. Chauncey Oesch) x24, of Middlebury, Indiana; and Mabel (Mrs. W. E. Jennings) of Knoxville, Tennessee. Interment was made in the Forest Grove cemetery, near the Forks church south of Middlebury, Indiana.

Amanda, daughter of Tobias and Susannah Eby, was born at Creston, Ohio, January 10, 1876. She died at Grant Hospital, Chicago, January 15, 1938. After teaching school for several years in the vicinity of Bluffton, Ohio, she was appointed to missionary service in the Home Mission in Chicago, in 1899, by the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities. She was united in marriage with Preacher A. H. Leaman, June 22, 1902, who was then superintendent of the Home Mission and together they continued in missionary service there until 1920. In the summer of 1924, they moved to their present home at 4216 Greenview Avenue. She leaves her husband, three daughters (Anna Miriam Leaman x24; Eunice Mae x26, Mrs. Elmer J. Kimball; and Gladys Lucille Leaman) and one son, Cleland Eby Leaman. Interment was made in Irving Park Boulevard Cemetery, Chicago.

Christina, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Beachy, was born in Maryland, December 16, 1867. She was married to Peter Unzicker in 1910 and they have been residents of Goshen for the last twenty years, moving there from Texas. Mrs. Unzicker as Tina Beachy was one of the early loyal supporters of the Elkhart Institute and Goshen College. She was among the first to purchase a lot in the Goshen College addition to help make possible the erection of buildings on the Goshen College campus in 1903. Interment was made in the Prairie Street Cemetery at Elkhart.

A telegram received at Elkhart, January 27, from Dhamtari, India, carried the sad news of the death of Bernard Vogt, youngest son of Brother and Sister Milton Vogt 27. Death was caused by diphtheria.

PERSONAL

William A. Stoltzfus 17 has been appointed president of the American Junior College for Women at Ras-Beirut, Syria, a Presbyterian organization founded in 1924 as a division of the American College of Beirut. Mr. Stoltzfus is the first man to serve as president of the junior college. He succeeds Miss Winifred Shannon.

Milton Gascho 37, formerly of Imlay City, Michigan, visited the campus over the week-end of March 5. Mr. Gascho has acquired the refreshment business at Auburn, Indiana, known as the "Double Dip Ice Cream Stand." He opened his new business there during the week of March 7.

Esther M. Brunk 27 has returned to America after spending five years teaching in Argentina. Her present address is 623 Matthew Street, Sikeston, Missouri.

Melvin Fox x21 is teaching the fifth grade in the Madison Township School, St. Joseph County, Indiana, several miles west of Wakarusa. His address is R. R. 1, Box 39, Wakarusa.

Orvilla A. Zeigler x36, formerly of R. R. 4, Goshen, has moved to Chicago. Her present address is in care of Ann O. Zeigler, 1900 West Polk Street, Chicago, Illinois.

Rev. and Mrs. Charles Fricke 27 and son, Charles Junior, have returned from several years' service in the Zambezi Industrial Mission in Africa. Reverend Fricke is registered as a student in the National Bible Institute in New York City.

Many of the older alumni will remember the Reverend J. W. Zerbe, formerly a student at the Elkhart Institute. The Reverend Mr. Zerbe is now located at Batavia, Iowa. This is his thirty-sixth year in the ministry and he has had twelve appointments since 1902. After serving for a number of years in north-central Indiana, he went to South Dakota and then returned to Iowa. In the thirty-six years of his ministry, he has built three churches, paid three parsonage debts, made one parsonage modern, has received about 2,000 people into the church and has led six men into the Christian ministry. Sunday, January 9, was the 1884th consecutive Sunday that he has been in church one or more times. He does not have a car. Since September 15, 1929, when he first began to keep an accurate account, he has walked 22,175 miles in connection with his pastoral work. Sometimes he has walked as much as 22 miles in one day, preached three times on Sunday and once on Sunday evening. He has received the Standard A church certificate for all of his churches for the past six years from the state college at Ames, Iowa. In addition to his work as a pastor and minister he has kept alive many social and community projects in the various communities in which he has served.

Agnes Harkness Anderson x23 of Chicago has been actively engaged in journalism for the past eleven years during which she has printed and published a weekly newspaper in the suburbs of Chicago, contributed a monthly article to the *Eleanor Record*, and for the year 1937-38 is editor of *Pen Points*, the official organ of the Illinois Women's Press Association. She was a member of the Federating Committee of the IWPA in charge of publicity when that group founded the National Federation of Press Women, which was organized in Chicago in May, 1937.

Dorothy Albrecht x24, now of Sycamore, Illinois, is continuing her piano study and teaching. Last year she organized a piano ensemble in which over 100 pianists took part. On November 7, she gave a recital in Tiskilwa, Illinois, and one at Sycamore on November 14. In the Tiskilwa recital she was assisted by little Mary Anne Nunemaker, prodigy pianist who is the daughter of Rev. Harvey Nunemaker 21, pastor of the Tiskilwa Mennonite Church (Central Conference).

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra S. Hershberger 34, who have been living in Hesston, Kansas, for the past two years made a pleasant visit to the College during the second week of February. They were en route to New York, where they embarked for India on the S. S. Queen Mary. Mr. and Mrs. Hershberger are under a five-year contract to teach in the Queen's Hill School at Darjeeling, India, where many of our missionary children attend school. Mr. and Mrs. Hershberger will also have charge of the boys' dormitory.

Ellen Landis, formerly of Lititz, Pennsylvania, who graduated from Goshen College Academy in 1909, is now Mrs. A. N. Brenneman, of R. R. 3, Lima, Ohio.

Atlee Hostetler x20 is church trustee and Sunday school superintendent at Farmerstown in Holmes County. Sunday school and church services are now being held at Farmerstown every Sunday morning.

Barbara Anne Hershberger 31, is teaching home economics in the Martelle, Iowa, high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Stoltzfus 22 (Lena E. Smucker 33) of West Liberty, Ohio, with their little daughter and their son, John Eli, visited with friends and relatives on the campus during Christian Life Conference, February 11-13. Mr. Stoltzfus teaches in the West Liberty high school. He is also a member of the executive committee of the Ohio Sunday School Conference.

Otto Binkele has moved from 356 West Thirty-fourth Street to 128 East Eighty-fourth Street in New York.

Mary Alice Jones 33 is teaching the third grade of thirty-five pupils at Fowler, Colorado. This is her fourth year of teaching and her second year in Fowler.

Mary Grove, teacher of a rural school near Flanagan, Illinois, is much engrossed in her work as a teacher. She continues writing in her "journal" which she began in Goshen College as a Sophomore Composition project. Several of her pupils are also keeping journals. The first edition of their newspaper, the *Maple Grove Gazette*, was printed as their Thanksgiving project.

The address of Mrs. Tom B. Yoder (Ruth Edna Yoder 20), is Mill Creek, Pennsylvania. Mrs. Yoder is a warm friend of the College and an interested reader of the NEWS-LETTER.

The school page of the Washington, Iowa, News contained an editorial mentioning Melvin Gingerich's leaving Washington Junior College for a half year's leave of absence to work on the doctorate. The editorial speaks very highly of Mr. Gingerich's work and personality and really "lays it on thick" in bewailing his temporary absence from the campus.

On January 31, L. J. Martin 29 of 1135 South Eighth Street, Goshen, Indiana, drove to Washington, D. C. with Mr. James A. Bell, present owner of the printing business formerly owned by the Mennonite Publishing Company in Elkhart, Indiana. Mr. Bell and Mr. Martin attended the conference of "small business men." Mr. Bell has announced his candidacy for the Democratic nomination to Congress in the third district.

During January and February, the wife of J. L. Steiner 01, of Wapokeneta, Ohio, gave addresses before various farmers institutes in western central Ohio. Among her subjects were: "The Challenge of Modern Youth," "The Eternal Quest," "It's Up To the Women," and "How the Consumer can Win."

Harold A. Schrock 36 of Goshen was elected president of the Luther League of the First English Lutheran Church of Goshen on February 2. Mr. Schrock is in business with his father in the Star Tank Company of Goshen.

Mrs. Edward Gerber (Marion Wisseman 34) has been elected chorister of the Walnut Creek, Ohio, Sunday school. Mrs. Ross Gerber (Ruth Hertzler 34) and Nettie Glick 33 have been elected librarians.

Rev. and Mrs. Louis Lamse (Esther Schott 19) reside in Rolling Prairie, Indiana, where the Reverend Mr. Lamse has a pastorate. Several alumni have spoken very highly of Mrs. Lamse's article which appeared in the NEWS-LETTER a few months ago.

At Fisher, Illinois, in the annual church and Sunday school reorganization on December 18, 1937, Joe Good x33 was elected one of the superintendents. Karl Massanari 36 was elected chorister.

On December 27, Clarence J. Holaway 28 was elected church chorister of the North Main Street Congregation of Nappanee, Indiana. Maurice Long 23 was elected moderator of the Young People's Bible Meeting. C. J. Holaway and Paul Weldy x26 are members of the program committee of the Young People's Bible Meeting.

Mildred Witmer, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. S. W. Witmer 14 (Sana Troyer 14) won first prize in a local short story contest to promote interest in story writing. The title of her story was "Just another Old House." Miss Witmer is a senior in the Goshen High School.

Milton B. Hostetler of Barrs Mills, Ohio, formerly a member of the Walnut Creek, Ohio, congregation, was ordained minister for the Kolb's Church near Winesburg, Ohio, on Sunday afternoon, January 2. Brother Hostetler is the father of Carl Hostetler 33.

At the Orrville, Ohio, Mennonite Church, Mrs. Royer, wife of I. W. Royer 00 was elected one of the primary superintendents of the Sunday school. Elizabeth Royer 37 is one of the choristers.

On December 5, the Sunday school near Louisville, Ohio, was reorganized. The superintendents are M. O. Krabill 22 and Rollin Krabill 35. Edwin Schmucker x35 is one of the choristers.

Lewis J. Powell 07 is one of the superintendents of the Liberty Sunday school near South English, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Ebersole 00 (Lavona Berkoy 00) of 1140 South Eighth Street, Goshen, and Dr. and Mrs. S. T. Miller 03 (Anna Holdeman 03) of Prairie Street, Elkhart, left on February 17 for New York City and on the following Saturday they sailed for Panama. Before this issue of the NEWS-LETTER reaches its readers they will have returned home by automobile through the Canal Zone and Mexico on the new International Highway.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Emmert (Marion Hamm x35) of South Sixth Street, Goshen, spent several weeks on a southern vacation trip which included a visit to Lake Worth, Florida.

Henry A. Nymeyer x36 received his B. S. Degree from the College of Commerce in the University of Illinois at the end of the first semester this year.

Dr. and Mrs. T. F. Kalb (Faye Ehret x20) attended the mid-winter clinic of the Chicago Dental Society at the Steven's Hotel in February.

On December 26, at the reorganization of the Metamora, Illinois, Mennonite Sunday school, Tillman Smith 28 was elected superintendent. Elverda Schertz x34 was elected primary superintendent. In the reorganization of the Young People's Bible Meeting at the same place on January 30, Ferne Smith 33 was elected one of the leaders of the primary group.

James Hostetler 21 was elected superintendent of the Plainview Mennonite Sunday school near Aurora, Ohio, on December 19. Mrs. Hostetler (Gladys Stoltzfus) was elected one of the primary superintendents.

The superintendents of the North Lima, Ohio, Mennonite Sunday school are James Steiner 32 and John Lehman 35. The superintendents at Midway are Walter Oswald 21 and Paul Swope 31. Laura Metzler 36 is librarian. The primary officers for both churches are the same. Beginners department superintendent is Mrs. John Steiner. The primary department superintendent is Wilma Lehman 33. The superintendent of the junior and intermediate departments is Mrs. Paul Yoder (Elva Lehman x25).

Paul Weaver x32 is one of the Sunday school and church choristers in the Mennonite Church at Manitou Springs, Colorado.

Ezra Hoover 22, principal of the New Paris High School was elected president of the Elkhart County Teachers Association in the annual meeting held on February 21 in the Elkhart High School. Mr. Hoover succeeds Harold Bechtel x26, principal of Goshen high school. Other Goshen alumni elected to positions on the executive committee are Harvey Postma 30 of Nappanee, enrolling secretary and Dorothy Zook x38 of 1123 South Eighth Street, Goshen. Gladys Honderich 30 of the Millersburg high school was enrolling secretary during the past year.

The following alumni appeared on the program of the one hundred and twenty-second missionary meeting held at the Bethel Church at West Liberty, Sunday, February 20. I. E. Burkhart, 26, field secretary; Bertha Yoder 36; and Eli Stoltzfus 22. John L. Yoder x11 was moderator.

The herd of twenty Holstein cows owned by Deacon Eli D. Yoder x30 of West Liberty, Ohio, with an average of 32.8 pounds of butter-fat stood highest in eighteen herds in the Champaign-Logan County Herd Improvement Association for January. Philip Yoder x38 cares for the herd and milks the cows three times a day. The second high average was made by the herd of twenty-one Guernseys at the Logan County Home with an average of 31.8 pounds of butter-fat. Arthur Detweiler x26 is in charge of agricultural operations at the Logan County Home.

On Thursday evening, March 10, the literature department of the Woman's Club of Goshen sponsored a book-night program in the auditorium of the library. Six books were reviewed by prominent Goshen citizens. Donna Belle Hepler 35 reviewed "Conversations at Midnight" by Edna St. Vincent Millay. Herbert Adams, Jr. 35 reviewed "South by Thunder Bird" by Hudson Strode.

Three graduates have returned at the mid-year to complete work during the second semester. Earle R. Brilhart, B.A. 33, of Scottdale, Pennsylvania, and Lester Hershey B.A. 36, of Pehuajo, Argentina, South America, are completing the four-year Bible course leading to the degree, Bachelor of Theology. Oswin Gerber B.A. 37 of rural route 2, Dalton, Ohio, is completing the Elementary Teacher Training Course and intends to return to Wayne County, Ohio, next year to take up Elementary teaching. The address of Mr. and Mrs. Gerber is 1420 South Eighth Street, Goshen.

Jeannette Landis x36 has resigned her position as bookkeeper with the Elkhart County Farm Bureau to accept a position as teller in the First National Bank of Goshen. Janet Miller x35 is also employed at the First National Bank. F. S. Ebersole 01 is a director of the institution.

Mrs. J. Milton Brunk (Elsie Yoder x30) and her two children of Hagerstown, Maryland, visited friends in Goshen during the first week in March.

N. E. Byers, former president of Goshen College was re-elected to the Board of Trustees of the Bluffton Hospital in January. At the organization of the Board for the current year, he was re-elected president of the Board.

The Rev. R. L. Hartzler 15, pastor of the Central Conference Mennonite Church at Carlock, Illinois, was re-elected secretary of the Mennonite Sanitarium Association at the annual meeting held at Minonk, Illinois, on January 7. He is editor of the hospital page of the *Christian Evangel*, called "The Mennonite Hospitaler." The Rev. Hartzler is secretary of the Central Conference of Mennonites. The Rev. Ben Esch 14, of Washington, Illinois, is president of the Conference.

The Chicago Alumni at their annual reunion in March passed a resolution encouraging the composition of new College songs in preparation for the fiftieth anniversary celebration of the founding of Goshen College which would be due in 1945.

Professor Jonathan M. Kurtz 01 of 7550 Luella Avenue, Chicago, instructor in science at the Bowen High School, visited friends at Goshen College and in the city of Goshen over the week-end of February 20. Professor Kurtz maintains a spirit of warm, active loyalty to the College.

Idella Zuercher 34, of Dalton, Ohio, is another one of the loyal Goshen alumni who are raising this present year's donation above the annual five-year pledge. Miss Zuercher continues to enjoy her teaching of the first and second grades in the East Greenville, Ohio, schools. At a party held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gerber 34 (Marion Wisseman 35) of Sugar Creek, Ohio, on March 12, Miss Zuercher announced her engagement to Millen Nussbaum of Kidron, Ohio.

At an announcement party held on March 17, at the home of her mother, Mrs. Amelia Lentz, friends of Marybelle Lentz 37 learned that she was to become the bride of Burris Sharp, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harlan H. Sharp, of Milford, "when the Spring flowers bloom." Mr. Sharp is associated with his father in the Sharp Hardware Company's Store in Milford.

At a meeting of the Phalo Club held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Hauder (Wilma Smoker 10) of South Main Street, Goshen, Mary Hooley former instructress in English in Goshen College was elected president for the coming year. Other officers elected were: vice-president, Mrs. J. D. Brunk; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Paul Bender (Bertha Burkholder, former instructress in French in Goshen College.).

The new address of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Hershberger 23 (Dula Roth 29) is 3222 Twentieth Road North, Arlington, Virginia. Mr. Hershberger has been transferred permanently to the Washington office of the Bureau of Air Transport under the U. S. Department of Commerce.

Mrs. A. L. Sprunger (Cordelia Riesen 21) was elected chairman of the fine arts department of the Women's Club of Goshen on March 16. Mrs. D. S. Gerig (Ruth Landis 12) was elected a director.

The following item was received too late to be placed under the proper classification on page 9: On March 11, a son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Kauffman (Leahbelle Smucker 30) of West Liberty, Ohio, at Mary Rutan Hospital in Bellefontaine.

Arthur L. Sprunger 22, Indiana artist and art instructor in Goshen College and at Goshen High School, is an exhibitor in the Fort Wayne Artists and Camera club exhibit in the Fort Wayne art museum. Mr. Sprunger has on display two water color paintings, "Hay Cocks" and "Single Peonies."

CHICAGO ALUMNI REUNION

On Saturday evening, March 12, the thirtieth annual dinner and reunion of the Goshen College Alumni Association of Chicago was held at the Harriet Hammond McCormick Memorial YWCA Building in Chicago. Orie O. Miller of Akron, Pennsylvania 15, chairman of the administrative committee of Goshen College gave an address on "Visions and Realities." Arthur L. Sprunger 22, instructor in art at Goshen College and Goshen High School, gave an address on the subject "Hints on Prints." Two groups of vocal numbers were given by Mrs. Arthur L. Sprunger (Cordelia Riesen 21) soprano, of Goshen, accompanied by Roberta Hauder x39, of Goshen. Seventy-one people were present at the dinner, the largest group ever attending a Chicago reunion of Goshen College alumni. Out-of-town guests who were present included Dr. M. C. Lehman 14, president of the Goshen College Alumni Association, and a group of students including Waldo Lehman, S. Paul Miller, Ray Yoder, and Edith King. Much of the credit for the success of the reunion must go to last year's executive committee: Jonathan M. Kurtz 01, president; John Thut 23, vice-president; and Mrs. Frank D. King (Laura Smith x16) secretary-treasurer. Members of the reception committee were Charles Neff x38, Mary Jane Thornton 29, Mrs. Robert G. Marshall (Claire Kennel x17), Mrs. Charles S. Morse (Margaret Anderson 23) and Edward Belan x39. Officers elected for the year 1938-39 are: president, Mrs. Robert G. Marshall (Claire Kennel x17); vice-president, Ezra Deter 16; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Claude Brunk (Inez Schrock 13), of Chesterton, Indiana.

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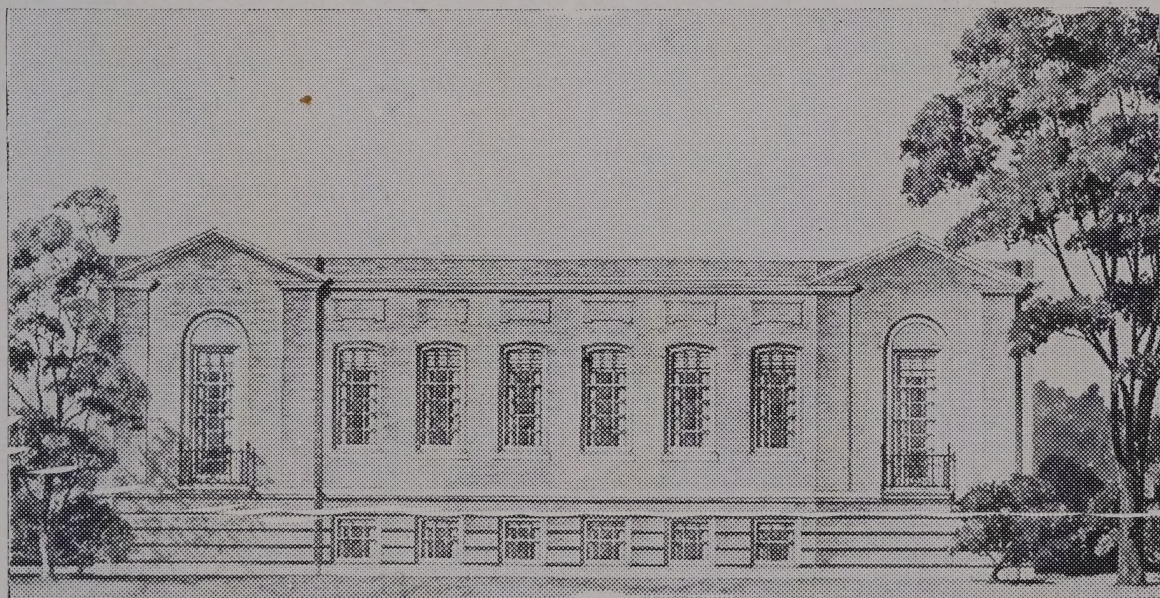
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THE ALUMNI NEWS-LETTER

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The New Memorial Library



Courtesy of *The News-Democrat*, Goshen.

Pictured above is the architect's sketch of the new Goshen College Memorial Library, which is to be erected on the campus, just south of Kulp Hall.

The following article reprinted from the **News-Democrat**, of Goshen, describes the plans for the new library building for which students and faculty have been looking long and eagerly. Erection of the new building should have an important bearing on the accreditation of Goshen College in the North Central Association.

"Authorization for the construction of a \$50,000 library building for Goshen College was granted at the recent annual meeting of the Mennonite Board of Education held in Chicago, according to announcement made by the college administration.

"Plans had been prepared earlier and tentative cost estimates secured as well as advance pledges sufficient to warrant proceeding with the building.

"The Chicago meeting of the controlling board of the school authorized construction to begin as soon as

the entire cost of the building is pledged and three-fourths of the pledges paid in cash. At the same time a building committee was appointed and plans laid for a vigorous financial campaign in the immediate future.

May Build This Year

"It is expected that plans and specifications will be completed and the money raised in time to permit the beginning of construction about October 1 of this year. This will permit taking advantage of lowered construction costs during the slack fall and winter season and still permit completion of the building in time for occupancy in the spring of 1939. Dedication services are planned for the commencement season in June, 1939.

"The financial campaign for the new library which was begun several weeks ago with advance solicitation will now be pushed with increased vigor by college au-

thorities. Over \$20,000 of advance gifts were secured before the building was authorized. C. L. Graber, business manager of the college, who is in active charge of the fund-raising operations, reports additional gifts of \$15,000 in prospect in the next few weeks. He expects to complete the campaign during the summer months.

Seek Contributions Here

"College authorities are planning an appeal in the near future to the city of Goshen and surrounding community for contributions of approximately \$10,000 toward the new building. No house to house canvass or intensive solicitation is planned, but rather an appeal to public-spirited citizens and business firms of the city and community who are interested in the progress of the college and the contribution it is making to the community. No campaign has ever been conducted for the college in Goshen since the college was brought here from Elkhart in 1903. At that time the late Wilbur L. Stonex and others, with the support of the Chamber of Commerce, secured a pledge of \$10,000 from the citizens as an inducement to have the college move to Goshen. However, only a small portion of this amount was ever raised.

Plans for Library

"According to the plans now prepared, the new library will be located on Main street, immediately south of Kulp Hall, the girls' dormitory. Plans call for a building in modified colonial style, with a pleasing exterior of light red brick with white mortar, and white limestone trim. The main reading room will be located in the large wing facing west on Main street, while the stack room, offices and workrooms will be located in a wing extending eastward behind the main wing. Extreme length of the main wing north and south will be 75 feet with a 32 foot width, while stack wing will be approximately 30 by 40 feet. The reading room will have seating capacity for 130 students. The stacks will have an ultimate capacity of 50,000 volumes. The entire basement floor will be given over to a Mennonite Library and Research Centre. The Mennonite historical collection now at the college is one of the finest in the world and has attracted research scholars from Europe as well as America. It contains many rare and valuable volumes. The official archive of the Mennonite Church of America will also be located here according to action of the last biennial Mennonite General conference. All equipment and furniture will be of the most modern approved character and in conformity with recommendations of library specialists. The building will be fire-proof throughout, with concrete and steel construction for the stack room unit. Architects are the well-known firm of Austin & Shambleau of South Bend, architects for the new federal post office building in South Bend and numerous other building projects in northern Indiana.—From The News-Democrat, issue of March 30, 1938.

OFFICE OF ALUMNI SECRETARY CREATED BY THE COLLEGE

The administration of the College takes pleasure in announcing to the alumni through the NEWS-LETTER the appointment of Professor John Umble, class of '01, to the newly-created office of Alumni Secretary. Professor Umble is well known to practically all of the alumni through his excellent work as editor of the ALUMNI NEWS-LETTER for the past seven years, and more recently as the successful director of the first annual roll-call of the Alumni Division of the Goshen

College Accreditation Plan. Professor Umble has been a leader in alumni work and a director of the Alumni Association for the past thirteen years. His new appointment will not introduce him to a new field of service, but rather give him the opportunity to do more effectively the large and important job which he has been asked to do during the past few years without an adequate allotment of time and secretarial assistance. The action of the administration in creating the new office of alumni secretary as a part of the college administrative set-up, as well as the appointment of the new incumbent to this post, was taken in consultation with the Board of Directors of the Alumni Association and received the full approval of the Board at its recent regular annual meeting at the College. We believe that alumni and friends of the college will greet the new arrangement for active promotion of alumni work as a pledge that the College Administration and the Alumni Association will work together hand in hand for a better and finer Goshen College and for a speedy entrance into the North Central Association. A further statement about Professor Umble's new duties will be found elsewhere in this number of the NEWS-LETTER.

Sanford Calvin Yoder,
President of the College.

CAMPUS NOTES

Goshen College debaters closed the inter-collegiate debating season with four dual debates, following the tournament at Manchester. On Friday, March 11, two teams motored to Wheaton College where they met two Wheaton teams in non-decision debates. On March 10, Goshen engaged Anderson College in a dual debate at Goshen in which each school won one contest. On Friday, March 18, Goshen met the two strong Huntington College teams from Huntington, Indiana at Goshen and won both debates. On March 21, the strong Calvin College teams came to Goshen from Grand Rapids, Michigan, and Goshen won both ends of this contest. The season's record is forty-six debates and sixteen defeats for Goshen College.

The men's chorus of twenty-four voices left the campus Friday morning, April 8 for an extended tour of the Mennonite Churches of eastern Ohio and Pennsylvania. The group was scheduled for thirteen major appearances. During the four-day period, May 6-9, the College A Cappella Chorus toured Ohio. The chorus gave seven programs in five different counties. The farthest point east was the Walnut Creek Congregation in Holmes County. The chorus is composed of sixty voices, thirty selected from each of the men's and women's choruses. The chorus is directed by Professor Walter E. Yoder 33, head of the music department of Goshen College. Leland Byler 38, of Millersburg, Indiana, is president of the chorus.

Waldo Lehman 38, son of Dr. and Mrs. M. C. Lehman 14 (Lydia Liechty 05) of the College faculty represented Goshen College in the annual Indiana State Peace Oratorical Contest held at Franklin, Indiana, Friday evening, May 6. Although Mr. Lehman did not rank among the winners, he made a creditable showing and gave a stirring message on the importance of Christian peace in the life of the individual.

For the first time in seven years, the Auroras succeeded in defeating the Adelphians, two games straight, in the annual basketball rivalry between the two societies.

ALUMNI NEWS-LETTER

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EDITORIAL CHAT

EVERY ALUMNUS A CONTRIBUTOR EVERY YEAR.

The regular report of donations to the Alumni Division of the Goshen College Accreditation Plan is being omitted from this issue because belated donations are arriving at the office so rapidly that it was practically impossible to keep the list of donors up to date. The complete list will be printed in the next issue of the NEWS-LETTER.

A considerable number of alumni are a trifle late with their contribution this year, but since the "triple duty" envelopes have been mailed out donations are coming in rapidly. The chief objection that the editor has to these "triple-duty" envelopes is that it makes it too easy for alumni to send in their contributions without including news items.

Don't forget the alumni reunion at Commencement time. The Commencement events begin with the annual chorus program. Alumni day is June 10—literary society reunions in the morning, annual business meeting in the afternoon, annual reunion at night. Baccalaureate services are held on June 12 and Commencement on June 13. All events are scheduled on daylight saving time, which is one hour faster than Central Standard time. In other words, it is the same as regular Eastern Standard time. If you wish entertainment over the commencement week-end, send in your reservations early. An unusually large crowd is expected to return for this—the largest annual event of the College.

The editor of the NEWS-LETTER already feels his face getting red at the thought of the publicity which this issue carries. He is aware that an editor must never print his own name in his paper. But he is acting "under orders," and besides there seems to be no other way for publishing the necessary information about certain changes which the Administrative Committee of the College has introduced.

FACULTY ITEMS

President Yoder spent March 9 and 10 in Iowa on business. On his return he stopped at Chicago to attend a meeting of the Non-resistant Churches which met to discuss the question of world peace. He and Mrs. Yoder spent Sunday, March 13 at Rensselaer, Indiana, where President Yoder spoke on missions at the morning and evening service. He spent March 24 and 25 at the meeting of the Mennonite Board of Education held at the Home Mission at Chicago, after which he went to La Junta, Colorado, for a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Mennonite Hospital. On Sunday, April 3, he officiated at a communion service at the North Goshen Mennonite Church. On April 6 he attended a meeting of the Mennonite Board of

Missions and Charities held at Elkhart and on May 8 he spoke at a mission meeting at the Prairie Street Church at Elkhart.

President Sanford Calvin Yoder recently received the following communication from President W. L. Ferguson of the Northern Baptist Theological Seminary, at Chicago:

"At a meeting of the trustees yesterday, upon unanimous recommendation of the faculty, it was voted, that the honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity be conferred upon you, a prominent member of our alumni."

The degree will be conferred on President Yoder at Chicago on Monday evening, May 23.

Dean H. S. Bender attended the annual meeting of the Mennonite Board of Education in Chicago, March 25-26, and also the annual meeting of the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools in Chicago, April 7. On April 13 he attended the meeting of the Historical Committee of the General Conference at Scottsdale, Pennsylvania. On April 22 he gave the commencement address at Topeka High School, Topeka, Indiana.

C. L. Graber, Business Manager of the College, was chosen chairman of the planning committee for the new library building at the annual meeting of the Mennonite Board of Education held March 25-26 in Chicago. He has spent considerable time and energy in promoting this project. He has personally contacted practically all of the individuals from whom generous gifts can be expected. This has taken him over the entire area from Iowa to Pennsylvania and from Canada to the Gulf. He reports fine interest and expects a generous response for the new library. Brother Graber held a week-end series of meetings at the Home Mission in Chicago during the Easter season. On Sunday evening, May 1, he spoke at a peace meeting at the North Main Street Mennonite Church in Nappanee on the subject, "My Experiences During the World War."

The February, 1938, issue of *Educational Administration and Supervision* prints a three-hundred-word review of William A. Wetzel's book, "Biography of a High-School," written by Dr. Silas Hertzler. Dr. Hertzler attended the meeting of the North Central Association at Chicago, April 6 to 8.

Dr. M. C. Lehman 14, the busy president of the Goshen College Alumni Association, is in demand as a public speaker on a variety of subjects. Following is a list of his speaking engagements and other extra-curricular activities. March 11 and 12, attended forum of Peace churches in Chicago; March 26 and 27, talks on "Nonconformity" at Olive Mennonite Church, west of Goshen; March 27 to April 2, daily talks to Belmont Mennonite Congregation at Elkhart on doctrinal subjects; April 9, talked to literary societies of Mennonite congregations near North Lima, Ohio; April 14-17, Pre-Easter services at Midway Church in Mahoning County, Ohio; April 17, Sunrise Union Easter service in Methodist Church at Smithville, Ohio; April 19, address to Junior Division of Goshen Women's Club on subject, "Mental Hygiene"; April 19, took both sections of Psychology class to Kalamazoo; April 26, Commencement Address to Brighton, Indiana, High School on subject, "Living a Life"; April 27, talk to Bible Circle at Goshen College on subject, "The Tabernacle Movement"; April 29-30, read a paper before the Mennonite Commission on Christian Education and Young People's Work; May 8, address to annual con-

vention of Lagrange County Sunday School Association in Methodist church at Lagrange; May 10, address to New Paris Chamber of Commerce.

NORTH GOSHEN CONGREGATION

The religious extension work carried on by the College Congregation in North Goshen has been making steady progress. Regular Sunday services, including Sunday school, preaching services morning and evening, as well as mid-week prayer meeting, have now been held for about six months. The attendance at the Sunday school averages more than 150. Since the evangelistic meetings in November, fifteen persons have been received into church fellowship by baptism, six by letter, and nine by confession. Five more are to be received soon. Communion service was held there on April 3. Paul Mininger, Bible teacher on the College faculty, ordained on February 12 to the office of minister for the work at that place, is in charge of the work.

DEPARTMENT OF SPEECH TO BE ESTABLISHED AT THE COLLEGE

By action of the Administration of Goshen College a new department of instruction is to be added to the work of the institution beginning September, 1938. Professor John Umble, since 1925 Professor of English and head of the department, has been appointed as Professor of Speech to organize the new department and to be the instructor in the courses offered.

Some courses in public speaking have regularly been offered for many years in the department of English, but the increase in demand for speech courses in the College, and the growth of the speech movement in institutions of secondary and higher education throughout the country, has led to the decision to greatly increase the offerings in this field. In inaugurating this new department, Goshen College thus keeps step with the latest developments in college education.

The new speech department will serve three types of students: first, students who are planning to major in speech and enter the field of speech teaching in high school or college; second, students who wish to improve their public speaking and secure training in practical speech in order to prepare themselves for more effective service in public work, such as the Christian ministry, teaching, and various forms of professional service; third, those students who wish to correct speech defects and improve their general speaking ability.

There is a growing feeling that the educated person should have command of the English language not only for writing, but for speaking. Some even advocate requiring a proficiency test in speech for graduation from a liberal arts college. Goshen College is not establishing this requirement at present but the faculty has decided to permit entering freshmen who demonstrate a high proficiency in English composition in the English placement test to substitute speech for the required English composition.

In addition to the regular course offerings, the department of speech is also to be given full charge of the work in debate and oratory. Hitherto this phase of student activity has been under a faculty committee. This committee will now be discontinued and the professor of speech will be expected to have charge of this work, working directly under the dean's office. The splendid growth of extracurricular forensics on the campus in the past few years justifies the expectation that this activity will continue to prosper under the new plan.

The action of the administration in setting up a department of speech may recall to older alumni and friends the time when a "School of Oratory" once existed at Goshen College. The school of oratory was established in 1907 under the direction of the late Professor Boyd D. Smucker '05, and continued until 1913 when Professor Smucker transferred to another institution.

The administration feels that Goshen College is fortunate to be able to inaugurate the new department at this time under the leadership of one who is so well-qualified by ability, interest and experience, and feels that the new arrangement means a distinct strengthening in the work of the institution. Professor Umble will take advanced work in speech this summer at the Summer Session of the University of Minnesota in preparation for inaugurating the new courses next September.

—H. S. Bender, Dean.

PROFESSOR UMBLE APPOINTED TO NEW ADMINISTRATIVE DUTIES AS SECRETARY OF THE COLLEGE AND ALUMNI SECRETARY

In addition to his new appointment as Professor of Speech, Professor Umble has been appointed by the College Administration to assume the duties of Secretary of the College, and Alumni Secretary, beginning September, 1938. As Secretary of the College he will have charge of student correspondence, the student solicitation program, pre-registration counselling, and the mailing lists for college publications. Up to the present, these duties have been assigned to various individuals, most of them being a direct responsibility of the President of the College. With the growth of the institution and the increase of the President's responsibilities, it has become necessary to concentrate these functions in the hands of a special administrative officer. As Alumni Secretary Professor Umble will have active charge of the Alumni Section of the Goshen College Accreditation Campaign, will continue as editor of the ALUMNI NEWS-LETTER, and will also be in charge of the promotion of relations between the college and the regional alumni meetings. Professor Umble's long connection with Goshen College and her interests, since 1899, first as a student, then as an alumnus, and finally as a member of the faculty, together with his demonstrated ability in organizing and promoting a high type of alumni relationship and loyalty, eminently qualify him for these new and important appointments. He is resourceful, aggressive, untiring, and deeply devoted to the cause of Christian education as represented by Goshen College. The new plan should make more effective the already useful service which he has been rendering. The administration bespeaks for Professor Umble the loyal and effective support of all alumni and friends in his new posts of duty. He will be assigned an office on the first floor of the Administration Building, and will be glad to welcome alumni and friends there when they come to the campus.

—Sanford Calvin Yoder, President.

Y. P. ELECTION

The annual election of officers for the Y. P. C. A. took place on Thursday, March 17, following the devotional period.

For the Y. M. division the election results are as follows: president, Lawrence Burkholder, of Newville, Pa.; secretary, Howard Blosser, of Columbiana, O.; treasurer, Samuel Bucher, of Doylestown, Pa.

In the Y. W. division, the following are to serve as officers for the coming year: president, Anna Hallman, of Tuleta, Texas; secretary, Ella Mae Weaver, of Harper, Kansas; treasurer, Mae Orendorff, of Flanagan, Illinois.

ANNUAL MISSION CONFERENCE

The theme for the Annual Missionary Conference held at Goshen College on March 26-27, was "Our Present Responsibility to Missions." The program was sponsored by the Y. P. C. A. and provided for discussions of the various phases of the mission work of the Mennonite Church and the relation of Goshen College students to that work.

Nelson Kauffman, superintendent of the Mennonite Mission at Hannibal, Missouri, and Ernest E. Miller 18, returned missionary from India, spoke on Saturday and Sunday evenings. John Gingerich, of Elkhart, preached the Sunday morning sermon; J. S. Hartzler, from Elkhart, and Clarence Shank x07, from Wakarusa, spoke on Sunday afternoon.

WOMEN'S ANNUAL DECLAMATION CONTEST

Vivian Lehman 40 of Berne, Indiana, won first place in the Women's Annual Declamation Contest sponsored jointly by the Avon and Vesperian Literary Societies. The prize given by the societies this year was a desk set. Anna Hallman of Tuleta, Texas, won second place and Ruby Martin of Minot, North Dakota, won third.

FRESHMAN MEN'S ANNUAL PEACE ORATORICAL CONTEST

Nelson Springer of Minier, Illinois, was the winner of the first prize of ten dollars in the Freshman Men's Annual Peace Oratorical Contest held April 6. His oration, entitled "Making Yellow White," was a tribute to the conscientious objectors during the World War. Charles Ainlay, of Mishawaka, won the second prize of five dollars and Robert Hartzler, of Goshen, won third prize of one dollar. First prize for this contest is the annual gift of F. S. Ebersole 01, of Goshen. The other two prizes are the gifts of two other members of the class of 1901.

SECOND SEMESTER CADET TEACHERS

A total of thirty-seven Goshen College students are engaged in supervised teaching for the second semester, according to Dr. Silas Hertzler, head of the Teacher Training Department of the College.

Seven students are doing practice teaching at Goshen High School: Russell Schnell, French; Lotus Troyer, algebra; Ezra Shenk, English; Arlowene Stiver, clothing; Clyde Miller, physics; Ivan Lind, commerce; and Leland Byler, music.

The city's Junior High claims four of the college students as practice teachers: Luther Shetler, eighth grade arithmetic; Emanuel Hertzler, eighth grade general science; Ira Smucker, seventh grade history; and Gertrude (De Boer) Blough, seventh grade home economics.

At Parkside school, are eight student teachers: Marjory Yoder and Margaret Bauer, sixth grade; Dorothy June Mast and Marie Kaufman, fifth grade; Rachel Moyer and Elsie Eash, third grade; and Vivian Lehman and Mary Sutter, first grade.

Those teaching at the Chandler school are: Beth Biggs and Mary Cathcart, sixth grade; Pearl Miller and Ruth Sieber, second grade; and Dorothy Reed, first grade.

At Chamberlain School are Eunice Schrock and Dorsey Eash, sixth grade; and Titus Gerber and Esther Miller, fifth grade.

At Pike Street School Rufus Christner and Kathryn Miller, the fifth and sixth grades.

At West Goshen, William Allen teaches the fifth and sixth grades; Eileen Bachman, the first and second grades; and A. Lois Yoder, the third grade.

Oswin Gerber and Daniel Johns teach grades five to eight at the Benton school, and Cornell Price has the same grades at Waterford.

SPRING TERM 1938

That the Spring term of Goshen College is meeting a real need is evidenced by the large registration. The following students are registered in classes in Educational Psychology, Social and Intellectual History of the United States, Physiology and Hygiene, Pauline Epistles, Public Speaking, Teaching of Language and Composition, Principles of Economics, Corinthians and Ephesians, House Planning, Teaching of Home Economics, Supervised Teaching, Mennonite History, Trigonometry, and Fundamentals of Christian Faith:

Adeline Aschliman, Stryker, Ohio; Leland Bachman, Morton, Illinois; David Bechtel 37, Goshen; Elman Bontrager, Kalona, Iowa; Arnold Dietzel, Bay Port, Michigan; Irma Eash, Shipshewana; Mary Feeser, Elkhart; Oswin Gerber 37, Dalton, Ohio; Paul Guengerich, Kalona, Ia.; Lois Gunden 36, Goshen; G. A. Haberstick, Goshen; Mrs. Cleo N. Hallman (Cleo Searer, x09), Elkhart; Mabel Heiser 36, Morton, Ill.; Lloyd Hess x37, Goshen; Ira Hoover x29, Goshen; Parke Lantz 37, Syracuse; Ivan Lind 35, Tangent, Ore.; Chas. Neff, Chicago, Ill.; Frances Schrock 37, Low Point, Ill.; Chas. Stouder, Foraker; Mrs. Charles Stouder (Evangeline Weaver 36), Foraker; Leona von Pelcherzin, Goshen; Dwight Weldy 37, Wakarusa; Anna Lois Yoder 36, Elkhart; Huber Yoder, Elkhart; Katherine Yoder 37, Shipshewana; LeRoy Yoder, Goshen; Marjorie Yoder, Parnell, Iowa; Barbra Zook x33, Goshen; Dorothy Zook, Goshen.

AMISH TUNES RECORDED

John E. Coffman, 33

Four Goshen College alumni co-operated in a unique project which was completed on Wednesday, April 13, 1938. This was the electrical recording of at least ten of the hymn tunes used by the Amish people in their worship using the "Ausbund" hymnal. The work was undertaken following a visit to the college by Professor Stith Thompson of Indiana University who is President of the American Folklore Society. As a guest at the home of Professor and Mrs. John Umble (Alice Landis '01) he learned of the Amish tunes and offered his assistance in having them recorded for the archives of American Folksong, in the Library of Congress at Washington. Professor Umble had notified the Washington department of his absence from home during the Easter vacation at the College, but the word failed to reach Mr. Alan Lomax who engages in this work. He arrived at Goshen on the above date, only to find that Professor Umble had gone. The latter had previously made good use of his influence among the Amish and his ability to talk "Pennsylvania Deitsch" as well as his tact, to secure the promise of one of their song leaders to sing these tunes. Accordingly Mrs. Umble, accompanied by Roy Umble 35, and John Coffman 33, sought out the singer and rendered their assistance in introducing Mr. Lomax and his wife, who assisted him in his work, to the two Amish hymn leaders who sang the tunes for them. This recording of

these tunes will undoubtedly prove of great assistance to those who wish to study this fifteenth century music. Mr. Lomax was delighted with the result of his visit. He stated that these Amish tunes were by far the oldest music in the United States. The tunes have never been written but have been handed down by word of mouth from generation to generation since Reformation times.

DR. EIGSTI MAKES IMPORTANT DISCOVERY

The following item appeared in a recent issue of THE NEWS-DEMOCRAT, of Goshen:

"Dr. O. J. Eigsti, professor of biology in the department of biology at Greenville college, Greenville, Illinois, formerly research assistant in the Carnegie Institution of Washington, Cold Spring Harbor, Long Island, New York, has just completed a paper published in the February Proceedings of the National Academy of Science. The research work presented is a summary of a series of experiments with a drug called colchicine which will induce hereditary changes in plants grown from seeds treated with this drug. It is possible to produce new types of plants, and new varieties of plants by this method.

"Since the discovery was made by Dr. Eigsti working at the Carnegie Institution last year, seed companies are devoting time and investment in the use of this method. Colchicine is a drug obtained from Colchicum seed and is used in the treatment of rheumatism and gout. Physicians have used it for many years; however, it has been only in the recent studies carried out by Dr. Eigsti and several other investigators that the genetic uses of the drug can be realized. The future possibilities of this method of plant treatment are seen as more investigation is continued. It is not impossible to expect to secure new varieties of plants which will be valuable agriculturally as well as new horticultural and floricultural products.

Dr. Eigsti 31, has resigned his position at Greenville College to accept a position on the faculty of the University of Oklahoma at Norman, Oklahoma, beginning in September. He will teach biology at Goshen College during the 1938 Summer Session. Dr. and Mrs. Eigsti (Agnes Weaver 32) will make their home in Goshen during the summer.

WEDDING BELLS

Sanford Troyer, son of Levi Troyer of Orrville, Ohio, and Edna Sprunger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Sprunger, of Dalton, Ohio, were united in marriage on March 26, 1938, at the home of I. W. Royer 00, of Orrville, Ohio. Mr. Troyer is a graduate of the Winter Bible Term and also holds a certificate in the Sunday School Teacher Training Course.

Invitations have been issued by Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hoylman of Creston, Montana, to the marriage of their daughters, Margaret Mary and Naomi Pauline x38, to Roy Birkey and Harry Birkey, respectively, on May 29, at the Mountain View Church near Creston, Montana. During the time of Naomi Hoylman's residence at the College in 1934-35, Mr. and Mrs. Hoylman lived at South English, Iowa. During the following summer, 1935, they moved to Creston, Montana.

Announcement of the approaching marriage of Miss LaVerne Yoder 34, instructor in English at Goshen College, to Carl Hostetler 33, of Walnut Creek, Ohio, a medical student at Western Reserve University, was made on Thursday evening, May 12, when Mrs. Glen R. Miller entertained a group of young women at

her home on Ninth Street. The date announced was June 11. Miss Yoder is the youngest daughter of President and Mrs. Sanford C. Yoder.

JUNIOR ALUMNI

DeVon Jonathan, son of Professor and Mrs. Paton Yoder 35 (Hazel Marie Smucker, academy 30) of Orange City, Iowa, was born on March 27.

David Shyne, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Plaut x29, of Jackson Street, Goshen, was born at the Goshen Hospital on April 25.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Horsch 29, of 200 Belleville Ave., Bloomfield, New Jersey, are the parents of a daughter, Gretchen, born on March 28.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Hartzler (Orpha Lehman 36), of Smithville, Ohio, are the parents of a daughter, Rebecca Christine.

Gwendolyn Ann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Thut (Louella Miller 32), was born April 1, 1938.

Robert Stanley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rollin Krabill 35 (Gladys Johns 34) of Sandyville, Ohio, was born March 18.

Stanley Dennis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bachman (Elda Long 36), of Sterling, Illinois, was born May 8.

NECROLOGY

Isaiah S. Stauffer, son of the late John D. and Catherine (Stoner) Stauffer, passed away at his late home at Millersville, Pennsylvania, February 28, 1938, aged 68 years, 7 months, and 9 days. Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Adeline Stauffer, and a daughter, Mrs. Menno E. Miller (Hazel E. Stauffer, 30). Funeral services were held at the home, Saturday afternoon March 5, at 2 o'clock and at the Millersville Mennonite Church at 2:30 o'clock. Interment was in the adjoining cemetery.

LaVon Joan Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Menno E. Miller 33, (Hazel E. Stauffer 30), passed away at her home in Millersville, Pennsylvania, April 12, 1938, aged 1 year, 10 months, and 23 days. She is survived by her parents, a maternal grandmother, Mrs. Adeline Stauffer of Millersville, and her paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. David Z. Miller of Middletown, Pennsylvania. Her brief sickness ended in bronchial pneumonia which brought on death very suddenly. She missed her grandfather who had passed away just six weeks previously and talked much about him. Funeral services were held at her late home Saturday afternoon, April 16, at 1:30 o'clock and at 2 o'clock at the Millersville Mennonite Church where she had just entered the beginners' Sunday School Class a few Sundays previous. Interment was in the adjoining cemetery.

Eri E., second child of John and Elizabeth Byler was born September 10, 1851, near Belleville, Pennsylvania, died March 26, 1938, at her home in Goshen, Indiana. She accepted the Christian faith at an early age and remained a faithful member of the Mennonite Church. On March 6, 1879, she was married to Rufus A. Yoder, of West Liberty, Ohio. She was the mother of Mary x01 (Mrs. Jacob Burkhard) missionary to India; Anna E. 12, teacher in the Parkside School in Goshen, and Kathryn x10, who died very suddenly in 1908, while attending school at Goshen College. Funeral services were held at the Eighth Street Mennonite Church. Interment was made in the Alwine Cemetery near Goshen.

Levina T. Nice was born in Medina County, Ohio, September 13, 1853, died at the home of her son, Benjamin, near Denbigh, Virginia, April 4, 1938. On December 25, 1873, she was married to Joseph C. Kornhaus, of Morrison, Illinois. Her father was the late Bishop Henry C. Nice, of Morrison, Illinois. For the past twenty-two years, she has lived near Denbigh, Virginia, where her husband died in 1931. She is survived by five children, one of whom is Franklin N. Kornhaus, x01, of Oakland City, California.

Elsie, eldest daughter of Adam and Fianna (Long-anecker) Steiner, was born near Orrville, Ohio, November 7, 1859; died at her late home in Morrison, Illinois, April 23, 1938. On December 16, 1879, she was married to Daniel H. Deter. In the fall of 1881, she with her husband accepted the Christian faith and united with the Mennonite Church and she remained a faithful member until her death. She is survived by her husband and eight children, two of whom are alumni of Goshen College: Daniel Jr., x20, of 512 West Morris Street, Morrison, Illinois, and Ezra S., of 7109 Eggleston Avenue, Englewood Station, Chicago.

PERSONAL

Recent reports state that Levi C. Hartzler 35 is safe at Murcia, not far from the Spanish battle-front. In an article in the April 21 issue of the GOSPEL HERALD, he writes an interesting article on a trip which he made to Ontur where a Christian colony is located. Parke Lantz who has been helping to direct the work in Spain has returned to America.

C. B. Shoemaker 12, head of the Book Department of the Mennonite Publishing House at Scottsdale, Pennsylvania, has negotiated the purchase of the Golden Rule Book Store at 256 King Street, Kitchener, Ontario, Canada. This Canadian bookstore branch of the Mennonite Publishing House is managed by J. C. Fretz 30.

Bishop O. N. Johns x07 of Canton, Ohio, announces the annual meeting of the Ohio Mennonite and Eastern Amish Mennonite Joint Conference to be held at the Crown Hill Church near Rittman, Ohio, May 25-27.

The Ohio Mennonite Sunday School Conference is again sponsoring a Young People's Institute which will be held at the Central Church near Archbold, Ohio, June 30 to July 3, 1938. Ernest E. Miller 17, missionary on furlough, from India, and C. L. Graber business manager of the College, will be among the instructors. Two alumni, I. W. Royer 00, and Bishop O. N. Johns x07 are members of the Institute Committee.

L. C. Miller x09 of Manitou Springs, Colorado, is one of the directors of a Mennonite Young People's Institute to be held at Manitou Springs, July 20 to 24.

Beulah Yordy x33 is librarian of the new Sunday School library at the Waldo Church near Flanagan, Illinois. When the Waldo church building and contents were destroyed by fire five years ago, the library was also destroyed. Now the Sunday School has purchased a bookcase and ordered new books from the Mennonite Publishing House at Scottsdale.

Ivan R. Lind 35 of Tangent, Oregon, who received the B. D. degree from Eastern Baptist Theological Seminary in Philadelphia on May 10, is registered in the Spring Term at Goshen College, in further preparation for his work at Hesston College next year, where he will teach Bible and Commerce. Mr. Lind did the work of the B. D. degree by attending E. B.

T. S. for two years after completing one year of graduate Bible work at Goshen College.

Elsie J. Yoder x25 of R. R. 6, Kent, Ohio, with her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Yoder and her brother, Forest, spent the winter in California. They left November 3 and returned March 18, traveling almost 10,000 miles. They visited seventeen states and Mexico. The Pacific Ocean, Gulf of Mexico, petrified forests, the Grand Canyon, Boulder Dam and Carlsbad Caverns were among the interesting sights which they saw.

Professor and Mrs. D. S. Gerig (Ruth (Landis) Umble 12), and Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Landis 10 (Orpha Hostetler 12) spent May 8 in Crawfordsville, Indiana, the guests of their sons, Richard Umble and Don Landis, at Wabash College.

Paul Zook 34 of Danville, Illinois, spent the week-end of May 8 with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Zook of South Eighth Street, Goshen, Indiana.

Bishop O. N. Johns x07 of Canton, Ohio; I. W. Royer 00 of Orrville, Ohio; and James Steiner 32 of North Lima, Ohio, have been appointed to supervise, and assist in, the publication of a history of Ohio Mennonite Sunday Schools. The work is under the general supervision of the Executive Committee of the Ohio Sunday School Conference. The book should be ready for publication within the coming year. The historian of the conference spent the Easter vacation, April 8 to 18, conferring with leaders in the Sunday school movement in various sections of Ohio, gathering material for the forthcoming history.

W. E. Hallman 29, who has recently arrived as a missionary in the Argentine, writes an interesting and informing article on his first impressions of Argentina in the April 28 issue of the Gospel Herald.

Arline Yoder 31, music instructor in the Hanover, Ohio, High School, continues her successful work in the Licking County Schools. The Hanover High School Girls' Glee Club received a rating of "Excellent" in the Eastern Half of the District Music Contest held at Dennison University at Granville, Ohio, March 18. The club sang "Isabelita," by Susmit Doda, and "Song of the Pedlar," by Williams. Miss Yoder was elected by the Licking County Supervisors of Music to direct the All-County Chorus to include representatives from the fourteen schools of the County at the annual Spring Festival held in Newark, May 6.

John S. Plank 09 has been elected president of the Goshen Rotary Club and Waldo T. Stalter 27 is vice-president.

C. Raber Kennell x32, United States probation-parole officer in the South Bend District, addressed the members of the Civic Club of Crown Point, Indiana, on the first Monday in May, on the subject, "The Federal Probation System." In this address, Mr. Kennell endeavored to give a solution to the amazing growth of youth crimes in the United States in the past few years.

Samuel P. Unzicker 15, formerly vice-principal of the Roosevelt Junior High School, Fond du Lac, Wisconsin, and lecturer on secondary education at Northwestern University, is joint author of a new general science text for high schools entitled "Science in Our Lives." Benjamin C. Greunberg is joint author of the book. The book contains an introduction of 14 pages and 750 pages of text. It is published by the World Book Company.

Ada Burkhart 32 spent several days on the campus during the fore part of May. Miss Burkhart is Supervisor of Nurses at the Mennonite Hospital at La Junta, Colorado.

Lawrence Maurer x36 has been elected president of the Phi Beta Pi Medical Fraternity on the campus of

the medical college at Indianapolis. Mr. Maurer is a Junior at the Indiana University School of Medicine.

The debate squad was heartened by the following word of appreciation from one of the older alumni: "I was greatly pleased with the splendid series of debate victories which Goshen College won this year. I always read the ALUMNI NEWS LETTER with deep interest but achievements such as a series of debate victories is read by me with keener pleasure than most items of interest to all alumni. Such a series of debate victories is worth more to an institution and its students than a long list of twelve-letter athletes." Dr. H. M. Hunsicker 31, of Perkasio, Pa., also spoke words of encouragement and gave the Goshen debaters a little publicity in his home town paper.

Joseph W. Yoder, former instructor in the Elkhart Institute and now of Huntingdon, Pennsylvania, is the author of a little book entitled, "Yoder Family Song Book." This is the latest publication in book form to come from the presses of the Mennonite Publishing House. It contains twenty-seven appropriate songs for use at the annual Yoder Reunion. The list of songs was compiled by Professor Yoder and is "dedicated to the Yoder Family." The price is ten cents, postpaid. Two of the songs are written especially for the Yoder family. For further information write to J. W. Yoder, Huntingdon, Pennsylvania.

Rev. Ralph M. Holderman x30, pastor of one of the two Evangelical Churches in Louisville, Kentucky, paid a pleasant visit to the campus during the first week in May. The Rev. Holderman is intensely interested in the new peace program of the Evangelical Church which contemplates a form of alternative service similar to that of the Friends' Service Committee. He has been asked to give an important address on the subject of flood-relief in Louisville during the 1937 disaster, at the coming quadrennial conference of the Evangelical Church to be held at Johnstown, Pennsylvania.

Lena Stoltzfus 21 is employed at the Bethesda Hospital, Cincinnati, Ohio.

The new address of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin M. Brenne-man (Mabel Kauffman) x11 is R. 4, Lima, Ohio.

The address of S. Maurice Allgyer x26 is 3031 Iuka Avenue, Columbus, Ohio. Mr. Allgyer is head of the Department of Speech in North High School, Columbus.

The address of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Allgyer x28 is Plain City, Ohio, where Mr. Allgyer is manager of a branch office for the International Harvester Company.

Dr. Earl C. Mast x30, who was graduated from the College of Physicians and Surgeons connected with Columbia University in 1937, has been an interne at Lennox Hill Hospital in New York City since July, 1937. Mrs. Mast, who is also an M. D., is superintendent of the Grassland Sanitarium for Tubercular Children at Valla Halla, New York.

Aaron Nice, a student of the Winter Bible School of 1938, was ordained to the office of minister in his home congregation at Morrison, Illinois, on March 6. This congregation had been without a resident minister for some time.

Roy Umble 35, instructor in speech at Riley High School in South Bend, attended a meeting of the Central States Speech Association at Columbia, Missouri, on April 1-2.

Harriet Lapp 37, of Dhamtari C. P. India, completed her work for the Th. B. degree at the College during the first semester. At the beginning of the second se-

mester, she accepted a position as a worker at the Chicago Home Mission.

Dr. Raymond Van Dusen x30 is a teacher of speech correction at Michigan State College, East Lansing, Michigan. He is also in charge of the speech clinic. Dr. Van Dusen after spending one year in Goshen College transferred to Indiana University where he received his Bachelor of Arts degree in 1931. He received the degree Master of Arts at the University of Michigan in 1932. During two years following he did graduate work at the State University of Iowa and after further graduate work was granted the degree Doctor of Science at the University of Michigan in 1937. Dr. Van Dusen and several of his colleagues attended the meeting of the Central States Speech Association at Columbia, Missouri, on April 1-2. His permanent residence is Elkhart, Indiana, where his parents reside. He has a very warm spot in his heart for Goshen College and attends programs on the campus whenever he has opportunity.

Noah E. Byers, former president of Goshen College, and Dr. C. Henry Smith, former instructor in history at the College, were the chief speakers at an afternoon and evening peace meeting at the Eighth Street Mennonite Church on May 1.

Karl Massanari 35 enjoys his work in the Mahomet, Illinois, High School. He is teaching music and public speaking. One of his students won second place in the Illinois State Oratorical Contest in Class B.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Hess 06 (Anna Kauffman 04) proprietors of Keewayden Farm at Shiremanstown, Pennsylvania, delighted the students of the College Dining Hall with their usual generous annual shipment of evaporated sweet corn.

Ray A. Yoder 22 is with the Travelator Company, Incorporated, at Massillon, Ohio.

The class letter of the class of 1930 continues to make its rounds after all these years. The 1930 class ivy after having suffered a serious set-back a year or two ago is now once more as high as the second story window in Science Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan W. Brunk 36 (Anne Jennings 36) are now permanently located in Tacoma, Washington. Their address is Apartment 119, Lauan Apts., 818 South Eleventh Street, Tacoma, Washington.

The following alumni are officers in the Sunday school and church at the South Union Church near West Liberty, Ohio: superintendent, Loren King 31; Sunday school chorister, Dwight Yoder 37; Church chorister, John L. Yoder x11; Primary superintendent, Dorothy Detweiler 33. Miss Detweiler has been teaching thirty-one pupils in the first and second grades in Zanesfield, Logan County, Ohio, this past year.

Carl Kreider 37 has been awarded the Mary J. Campbell fellowship under the American Friends Service Committee. The fellowship pays \$750 and gives the holder the privilege of spending a year in graduate study in Europe. Mr. Kreider has elected to enter the School of Economics at the University of London next year. He had also been awarded a fellowship at Princeton, but he chose the former.

Ernest E. Miller 17

missionary on furlough from India, will give the address at the Annual Alumni Reunion in the College Dining Hall on Saturday evening, June 11.

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THE ALUMNI NEWS-LETTER

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GOSHEN COLLEGE ACCREDITMENT PLAN

Alumni Division

The officers of the Alumni Association and the Administration of Goshen College feel greatly encouraged over the fine response of alumni during the second year of the Alumni Division of the Goshen College Accreditation Plan. As already announced, plans are underway to apply for membership in the North Central Association during 1940. The value and success of the Alumni Division depends upon regular contributions over a period of years. The effect of the fine record of last year will be lost to a large extent unless alumni contributions equal or exceed the amount donated last year. The plan seems to appeal to alumni because it makes possible a united co-operative effort which does not work a real hardship upon any one alumnus.

Pledges for the current year are not all paid, but donations are arriving at the alumni office in a steady stream. Response from regional directors indicates that they are lending their full support to the program again this year. Following is a list of alumni who have donated cash in amounts from one to one hundred dollars to the Alumni Division during the second year. Examination of the list reveals that all but two of the faculty members have made donations to the Alumni fund during the current year. President Yoder, Business Manager C. L. Graber, and Dean and Mrs. H. S. Bender repeated their gifts of one hundred dollars each which they made during the first year of the Alumni Division.

Complete returns are not available as we go to press but fifty-three members of the Class of 1938 have pledged to pay \$1697.00 into the Alumni Division during the first five years following their graduation. Some pledged for only one year, but stated that they expected to continue to contribute so long as they earn.

The following list is complete to June 10. Later contributions will be acknowledged in a later issue.

Class of 1900

Steiner, M. L., 1823 St. Mary's Ave., Ft. Wayne

Class of 1901

Moyer, Anthony, R. 5, Elkhart, Ind.

Ressler, Lina Z., Scottdale, Pa.

Umbel, Mr. and Mrs. John (Alice Landis), Goshen

Yoder, Eli D., R. 1, West Liberty, Ohio

Class of 1903

Lapp, George J., India

Class of 1904

Reist, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. (Lulu Greenwalt), Falfurrias, Texas

Class of 1905

Autenrieth, Anna, 2449 S. Dearborn St., Chicago
Ebersole, Amanda, Philadelphia, Pa.

Class of 1907

Kreider, Mrs. L. S. (Adelia Stover), Wadsworth, Ohio

Miller, Ira Y., Middlebury, Ind.

Class of 1908

Good, Dr. and Mrs. H. G. (Maude Warye), Columbus, Ohio

Class of 1909

Brenneman, Mrs. Alpheus (Ellen Landis), Elida, Ohio

Landis, Austin, Box 1414, Detroit, Mich.

Plank, John S., Goshen

Shenk, Mrs. J. W. (Emma Hershey), Argentina

Class of 1910

Brunk, Mr. J. Claude, Chesterton, Ind.

Hershey, Dr. Charles, 4123 N. Albany Ave., Chicago

Hoover, Anna, Goshen

Phillips, Rev. George W., 1716 Benham Ave., Elkhart, Ind.

Schertz, B. J., Goshen

Shank, J. W., Argentina

Shank, Chas. L., R. 6, N. Canton, Ohio

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Class of 1911

Erb, Mr. and Mrs. Allen H., La Junta, Colo.

Class of 1912

Ebersole, W. C., 418 N. Lafayette Blvd., South Bend, Ind.

Class of 1913

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Garwood, Lillie, 717 E. Wenger St., South Bend, Ind.

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Miller, Ralph S., 81 W. Market St., Tiffin, Ohio

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Beck, Mrs. Rich (Mabel Kennell), 513 So. Sixth, Goshen

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Plank, S. C., West Liberty, Ohio

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 Bollman, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. (Amelia Wengerd), R. 1, Nappanee, Ind.
 Lehman, Mrs. Howard J. (Vesta Miller), R. 1, Columbiana, Ohio
 Meyer, Dr. J. C., Sterling, Ohio
 Yoder, Dr. S. E., Lancaster, Pa.

Class of 1917

Hershberger, Professor and Mrs. Guy F. (Clara Hooley), Goshen
 Lehman, Howard J., R. 1, Columbiana, Ohio

Class of 1918

Beck, Rich, Goshen
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 Slagel, Mrs. Lloyd (Fern Bontrager), Goshen
 Witmer, Dr. S. W., Goshen

Class of 1919

Lamse, Mrs. Louis (Esther Schott), 713 Lincolnway, La Porte, Ind.

Class of 1920

King, Mrs. Allen (Edna Thut), 1143 Quilliams, Cleveland Heights, Ohio
 Meyer, E. A., Biglerville, Pa.
 Schrock, Elva May, R. 2, Nappanee, Ind.
 Shoup, Vernon D., Middlebury, Ind.
 Sommer, Mrs. David (Viola Spiker), R. 3, Wooster, Ohio
 Yoder, Joe A., Box G., West Liberty, Ohio
 Yoder, Martha G., 5012 Broadway, Chicago, Ill.

Class of 1921

Brunk, W. C., Detroit, Mich.
 Grassmeyer, A. Fay, Greenwood, Del.
 Meyer, Mrs. J. C. (Esther Steiner), Sterling, Ohio
 Stoltzfus, Lena, Bethesda Hospital, Cincinnati, Ohio

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 Shantz, Fannie, Elkhart, Ind.
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 Stoltzfus, Eli, West Liberty, Ohio
 Yoder, Howard, 421 N. Bever St., Wooster, Ohio

Class of 1923

Detweiler, J. A., Bellefontaine, Ohio
 Eigsti, Emery I., Wayland, Iowa
 Eschliman, Nora, Dalton, Ohio
 Gresser, Homer, R. 2, Wooster, Ohio
 Hershberger, Glen, Chicago, Ill.
 Hertzler, Melvin L., Smithville, Ohio
 Hostetler, S. Jay, India
 Krabill, Mrs. M. O. (Ella Conrad), R. 3, Louisville, Ohio
 Long, G. Maurice, R. R., Nappanee, Ind.
 Miller, Mrs. Adin (Mabel J. Metzler), Columbiana, Ohio
 Yoder, Ordo, Goshen
 Yoder, Rhea, Middlebury, Ind.

Class of 1924

Mumaw, H. A., Elkhart, Ind.
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Class of 1925

Bender, W. J., Andover, Mass.
 Burkhart, Mrs. I. E. (Gladys Loucks), Goshen

Hodel, Dr. Esther S. (Esther Smucker), Morton, Ill.
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 Yoder, Elsie J., R. 6, Kent, Ohio
 Yoder, Mrs. Paul (Elva B. Lehman), Columbiana, Ohio

Class of 1926

Burkhart, Professor Irvin E., Goshen
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 Yoder, Mrs. Samuel A. (Ethel Oyer), 332 S. Grant, Bloomington, Ind.
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 Wyse, Olive, Goshen
 Yoder, Rev. Paul, Columbiana, Ohio

Class of 1927

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 Miller, L. Wallace, 32 Rayne's Place, Normal, Ill.
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 Smith, Lulu, Eureka, Ill.

Class of 1928

Camp, Dr. E. J., Macalester College, St. Paul, Minn.
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 Smucker, C. G., R. R., West Liberty, Ohio
 Yoder, Professor Samuel A., Wheaton, Ill.

Class of 1929

Bender, Dr. C. K., E. Washington, Goshen
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 Hershberger, Mrs. W. D. (Mary E. Martin), 111 E. Browning Road, Collingwood, N. Jer.
 Hostetler, LeRoy, Box 102, West Liberty, Ohio
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 Oyer, Edna, St. Johns, Mich.
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 Schenk, Lydia, Goshen
 Smucker, Mrs. C. G. (Pearl Detweiler), R. R., West Liberty, Ohio
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Class of 1930

Camp, Mrs. E. J. (Lois Lapp), 1863 St. Clair St., St. Paul, Minn.
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 Hostetler, Mrs. LeRoy (Ardis Ebersole), West Liberty, Ohio
 Kanagy, J. F., Biglerville, Pa.
 Litwiller, Lester L., Morton, Ill.

Miller, Mrs. Menno (Hazel Stauffer), 460 N. Orange St., Millersville, Pa.
 Moyer, Bessie C., Perkaspie, Pa.
 Musselman, Mrs. Howard Y. (Ruth Miller), Orrtanna, Pa.
 Royer, Mary, Goshen
 Schertz, Lela, Epworth Hospital, South Bend, Ind.
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 Smucker, Silas J., Morristown, New Jersey
 Yoder, Mrs. Paton (Hazel M. Smucker), Orange City, Iowa
 Zehr, Alma, Allentown, Ill.

Class of 1931

Binkele, Otto, New York City
 Coffman, Barbara, Vineland, Ont.
 Eigsti, Dr. O. J., Goshen
 Gingerich, Freeman, Waterloo, Ont.
 Good, Dr. Virgil D., 3216 Observatory Ave., Cincinnati, Ohio
 Graybill, Paul W., R. 3, Freeport, Ill.
 Hallman, Mr. A. P., Akron, Pa.
 Hersberger, Barbara, Martelle, Iowa
 Hunsicker, Dr. Harley M., Blooming Glen, Pa.
 King, Loren S., Urbana, Ohio
 Kreider, Dr. Leonard C., Bethel College, Kansas
 Kreider, Mrs. Leonard C. (Rachel Weaver), Bethel College, Kansas
 Lapp, Ada, 412 7th Ave., Sterling, Ill.
 Lehman, John, North Lima, Ohio
 Miller, Menno E., Millersville, Pa.
 Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Perry J. (Olive Lucille Miller), Shipshewana, Ind.
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 Slabaugh, Paul, Goshen
 Smith, Mabelle, Eureka, Ill.
 Yoder, Ora M., Shipshewana, Ind.
 Zook, Mrs. Ellrose D. (Frances A. Loucks), Scottsdale, Pa.
 Zook, Herbert J., Goshen

Class of 1932

Burkhart, Ada, La Junta, Colo.
 Burkhardt, Gladys, Box 1643, Knoxville, Tenn.
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 Eigsti, Mrs. O. J. (Agnes Weaver), Goshen
 Eigsti, Rose, Eureka, Ill.
 Hallman, Mrs. A. P. (Esther Yoder), Akron, Pa.
 Lantz, Paul, Middlebury, Ind.
 Leatherman, Mrs. Harry (Fannie S. Brunk), 100 Square St., Newark, New Jersey
 Martin, Mrs. C. P. (Erma Schertz), 1201 Prairie St., Elkhart, Ind.
 Miller, Stanley L., Andes, New York
 Rohrer, Mrs. Emma, Smithville, Ohio
 Schloneger, Alvin, Louisville, Ohio
 Schloneger, Mrs. Alvin (Gladys Hostetler), Louisville, Ohio
 Steiner, James, North Lima, Ohio

Class of 1933

Aschliman, Adeline, Massillon, Ohio
 Coffman, John, Goshen
 Detwiler, Dorothy, West Liberty, Ohio
 Eschliman, Irene, Dalton, Ohio
 Gerber, Ross L., Sugarcreek, Ohio
 Hertzler, Anna, Cheraw, Colo.
 Jones, Mary Alice, La Junta, Colo.
 Leatherman, Harry, 100 Square St., Newark, New Jersey

Lehman, Wilma, North Lima, Ohio
 Mast, Olive, Millersburg, Ohio
 Miller, Evelyn, Louisville, Ohio
 Miller, Orie A., Wayland, Iowa
 Moser, Helen, Orrville, Ohio
 Rhodes, Omar, R. R., Cedar Rapids, Iowa
 Roth, A. W., Orrtanna, Pa.
 Roth, Mrs. A. W., Orrtanna, Pa.
 Smucker, Mrs. Silas J. (Esther Meck), Morristown, New Jersey
 Stoltzfus, Mrs. Eli (Lena Smucker), West Liberty, Ohio
 Swope, Joe W., Pittsburgh, Pa.
 Yoder, Leona B., West Liberty, Ohio
 Yoder, Professor and Mrs. Walter E., Goshen
 Zook, Ellrose D., Scottsdale, Pa.

Class of 1934

Eberly, Esther, Dalton, Ohio
 Kauffman, Stella, Goshen
 Miller, Delilah, R. 3, Louisville, Ohio
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 Schertz, Alverda, Metamora, Ill.
 Wenger, John C., Switzerland
 Zuercher, Idella, R. 4, Dalton, Ohio

Class of 1935

Aschliman, Agnes, Strycker, Ohio
 Beechy, Atlee, Columbus, Ohio
 Brunk, Ivan, Tacoma, Washington
 Cressman, Vera, 169 Benton St., Kitchener, Ont.
 Gerber, Mrs. Ross L. (Ruth Hertzler), Sugarcreek, Ohio
 Gnagy, Ruth, Topeka, Ind.
 Landis, Wilmar, Souderton, Pa.
 Miller, Mrs. Stanley L. (Ferne L. Miller), Andes, New York
 Raber, Eugene, Sugarcreek, Ohio
 Smith, Ferne, Eureka, Ill.
 Smucker, Caroline, West Liberty, Ohio
 Stoltzfus, Mrs. Chris (Elizabeth Graber), Manson, Iowa
 Umble, Roy, Goshen
 Yoder, Paton, Orange City, Iowa

Class of 1936

Amstutz, Edna, La Junta, Colo.
 Brunk, Mrs. Ivan (Ann Jennings), Tacoma, Washington
 Conrad, Hazel, Wooster, Ohio
 Conrad, Marjorie, Smithville, Ohio
 Cook, Ruth, R. 4, Elkhart, Ind.
 Friesen, Ida, Elkhart, Ind.
 Gerber, Ralph, Sugarcreek, Ohio
 Good, Robert, R. 2, Sterling, Ill.
 Gunden, Lois, Goshen
 Hartzler, Lillian, West Liberty, Ohio
 Hartzler, Mrs. Melvin P. (Orpha Lehman), Smithville, Ohio
 Hostetler, Mildred, Roxbury, Kans.
 Hostetler, Retha, Goshen
 Kreider, Carl, 406 Brown Seminary, Princeton, New Jersey
 Massanari, Karl, Mahomet, Ill.
 Metzler, Laura, R. 1, Columbiana, Ohio
 Powell, Lewis J., Goshen
 Royer, Katherine, Orrville, Ohio
 Shank, Elsa, Pehuajo, South America
 Swope, Mrs. J. W. (Mary Hertzler), 813 Grandview Ave., Mt. Washington Dist., Pittsburgh
 Troyer, Henry, Walnut Creek, Ohio
 Winey, Lois, Goshen
 Yoder, Bertha, West Liberty, Ohio
 Yoder, A. Lois, R. 4, Elkhart, Ind.
 Yoder, Olive, West Liberty, Ohio

Yoder, Vera K., 118 N. 2nd St., Elkhart, Ind.
Zook, Vesta, Mio, Mich.

Class of 1937

Amstutz, Ira, R. 1, Dalton, Ohio
Friesen, William, Princeton, New Jersey
Grove, Mary, Garden City, Mo.
Hostetler, Elda, Middlebury, Ind.
Hostetler, Thelma, Elkhart, Ind.
Johns, Velma, 444 N. Main St., North Canton, Ohio
Lehman, Flossie, North Lima, Ohio
Lehman, Kathryn, Columbiana, Ohio
Martin, Erma, Minot, North Dakota
Miller, Iola, Mercy Hospital, Canton, Ohio
Miller, A. Roscoe, R. 1, Sugarcreek, Ohio
Royer, Elizabeth, Orrville, Ohio
Rohrer, May, Orrville, Ohio
Schrock, Harold, Goshen
Swartzendruber, Maude, La Junta, Colo.
Weldy, Dwight, Wakarusa, Ind.
Yoder, Carrie, Shipshewana, Ind.
Yoder, Dwight, Bellefontaine, Ohio

Class of 1938

Culp, Amós, Nappanee, Ind.
Risser, Bertha, Goshen
Schnell, R. F., Goshen
Smucker, Ira, Orrville, Ohio
Yoder, Philip, West Liberty, Ohio

Class of 1939

Bean, Andrew, New Dundee, Ont.

Class of 1940

Schmidt, Ruth, 653 S. Highland, Los Angeles, Calif.

Unclassified

Bender, Dr. and Mrs. Paul, Goshen
Hartzler, Harvey
McFarland, Mrs. Robert, Goshen
Miller, Mrs. Gordon
Schertz, Mrs. Manuel D., Washington, Ill.
Witmer, Edith M., 136 College Ave., Elizabethtown, Pa.
Yoder, Dr. Edward, Goshen
Yoder, President and Mrs. Sanford C., Goshen

ALUMNI DAY

Alumni day on Saturday, June 11, was marked by enthusiastic reunions of the literary societies at 10 a. m. Many former students and graduates were present to add enthusiasm to the occasion. In the afternoon a baseball game between the Aurora and Adelpian literary societies resulted in a victory for the Auroras 7 to 3.

The annual alumni reunion and banquet was held at 6 p. m. Saturday in the College Dining hall with approximately 200 present.

High points of the program were the toast for the Twenty-Five-Year reunion class, the class of 1913, by Vernon Culp of the Akron, Ohio, schools; a series of enthusiastic pep talks by Regional Directors of the alumni campaign; and an outstanding address by Ernest E. Miller, class of 1917, missionary on furlough from India, on "India Advances in Religion and Politics." The election of officers for the coming year resulted in C. P. Martin, Elkhart, class of 1927, president; Walter E. Yoder, Goshen, class of 1913, vice-president; Silas Hertzler, class of 1913, secretary; S. W. Witmer, Goshen, class of 1914, treasurer; H. S. Bender, Goshen, class of 1918, member of the execu-

tive committee; A. C. Brunk, Dhamtari, India, second vice-president. New directors of the Alumni association to serve for three years are: Orié O. Miller, Akron, Pennsylvania; Howard Yoder, Wooster, Ohio; Melvin Gingerich, Washington, Iowa; Levi Hartzler, Murcia, Spain; Walter E. Yoder, Goshen, Indiana; Leland Bachman, Morton, Illinois.

C. P. Martin has served the Alumni Association as treasurer for a number of years and is one of the larger contributors to the Alumni Fund. He is the first of the younger alumni, that is, of those who graduated since 1923, to serve as president.

1938 GOSHEN COLLEGE CATALOGUE

The new catalogue has a larger format and shows general improvement in paper and binding. This is the first change in format since the first issue of the College catalogue was published in 1923. Other changes in arrangement of material are due to a fundamental change in the academic organization of Goshen College. Instead of the simple departmental organization, the faculty is now organized into divisional groups with a chairman for each group chosen by the Administrative Committee. Division I, Language, Literature and the Fine Arts, includes art, English language and literature, French, German, Latin, music, and speech. The Division of the Social Sciences includes economics, geography, history, home economics, political science, sociology, and commerce. Professor Guy F. Hershberger is chairman of the Division of Social Sciences. The Division of Natural Sciences with Professor Paul Bender, chairman, includes the departments of astronomy, biology, chemistry, mathematics, mechanical drawing, physics, and physical education. The Department of Bible and Philosophy, of which Dean Bender is chairman, includes the department of philosophy and all the departments of the Bible School. The Division of Teacher Training is headed by Professor Silas Hertzler and includes all the courses in elementary and secondary education and in psychology. The work of the College is further divided into lower level and upper level courses. Most of the work of the lower level courses is prescribed for Freshmen and Sophomores. Juniors and Seniors whose work will be chiefly in the upper level courses have a very wide range of electives and are expected to do their primary work in two or at most three fields of concentration. These changes in the organization of the College are in line with current educational policy and procedure in the more progressive schools.

INDIANA-MICHIGAN LITERARY SOCIETY CONVENTION

The fifteenth Indiana-Michigan Literary Society Convention was held at Goshen College, May 21, 22. On Saturday afternoon and evening the convention programs were built around the themes, "Nature" and "Youth and Opportunity." On Sunday afternoon the conjoint literary societies and the College choruses gave a program on the campus before an audience of over a thousand people. In the evening, Professor Paul Mininger 34 gave the closing address on "What is Right with Youth." The College auditorium was crowded to capacity and hundreds were turned away. Among the regular alumni who were elected officers were Dorsa Mishler 37, vice president, and Rufus Christner 38, traveling secretary. Lowell Hershberger 41, served as treasurer during the past year.

ALUMNI NEWS-LETTER

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EDITORIAL CHAT

Every Alumnus a Contributor Every Year.

As previously announced the editor will be engaged in graduate study at the University of Minnesota during the summer session. All mail intended for the alumni office should be addressed "Goshen College Alumni Association, Goshen, Indiana." The business office will receive and acknowledge contributions.

One of the outstanding needs of the alumni office still is news. Too few alumni are sending in news items about themselves or other people. It takes news to make an interesting News-Letter. When you send in your annual donation, drop the editor a line to tell him what you and your friends are doing.

PRESIDENT YODER RECEIVES HONORARY DEGREE

On Monday, May 23, President Sanford Calvin Yoder received the honorary degree, Doctor of Divinity, at Northern Baptist Theological Seminary in Chicago. Several weeks ago, President Yoder received notification from President Ferguson, of the Seminary, that the faculty of that institution had voted to confer this degree upon him at the annual Spring Convocation.

It is the custom of the Seminary to honor a very limited number of its outstanding alumni in this way every year. The degree cannot be purchased, nor is it granted to those who seek it. It is granted solely on the basis of the graduate's personal worth and achievement in the field of education or religion.

President Yoder attended the seminary to complete the course requirements for the degree, Bachelor of Divinity, during the years 1931-32 and 1933-34 and was graduated with that degree in May, 1934. During his residence at the seminary he won the respect and admiration of faculty and students, not only for his scholastic attainments but also for his fine spirit of Christian fellowship and his unswerving loyalty to the principles of the Mennonite Church.

This signal honor that has come to the President of Goshen College is tangible evidence of the growing prestige of the institution.

NEW PLAN FOR ADMISSION

Goshen College is inaugurating a new admission procedure to obtain information about prospective students. This information will be used to determine the student's fitness for college work and to become acquainted with him for the sake of counseling him when he arrives on the campus.

Each applicant is sent three blanks, one to be filled out with personal information, including interests and plans for the future, the other two are to be given to his high school principal to be filled out and returned to the College. The first has place for the principal to record the applicant's personal traits, achievements,

and other points of value to the College in understanding the applicant. The second is his high school record. After these three forms are received a committee of admissions will pass on the Application. If the person is admitted he will receive an admission card which he must present at registration.

PROFESSOR BURKHART APPLIES FOR CITIZENSHIP

At one thirty P. M., Tuesday, May 10, the naturalization hearing for Professor I. E. Burkhardt was conducted in the Elkhart Superior Court, with Judge Conley in charge. Professor Burkhardt was born in Canada but has spent the past nineteen years of his life in the United States. He applied for his first papers in Newton, Kansas, but since he now resides in Goshen his hearing was at this place.

The trial has aroused considerable interest because Professor Burkhardt, as a nonresistant Christian, answered "no" to the question, "Will you bear arms in defense of your country in case of war?"

In view of this answer the Examiner of the Bureau of Naturalization recommended that citizenship be denied. Most judges would have upheld this recommendation. Judge Conley decided that Professor Burkhardt's case warranted more thought and consideration so he withheld his decision until the Fall term of the Court, in September, when the case will be reconsidered.

Professor Burkhardt has hopes that he will be given a favorable decision at this term of court, for a similar case at the Lima (Ohio) Court, recently, was given citizenship. Professor Klassen, of Bluffton College, applied for citizenship and answered much as Professor Burkhardt did. Judge Everett, however, decided to reverse the Examiner's recommendation and granted the citizenship.

A fundamental question is at stake in this trial and others similar to it. Will members of the Quaker, Brethren and Mennonite churches, all of which have a historical, nonresistant background, be granted full citizenship rights in case of war? It also raises another question, What attitude does our government now take toward members of these churches?

Alumni will follow with interest the further proceedings in Professor Burkhardt's case.

NORTH GOSHEN SUNDAY SCHOOL

The workers of the primary department of the North Goshen Sunday School were pleased to have some mothers who do not attend services regularly at their special Mother's Day program, Sunday, May 8. The children presented the program. To each mother a small nosegay of spring flowers and a hearty invitation to attend the regular services was given. A building fund has been established, and it is hoped that enough money may be gathered through weekly offerings to complete the basement in the near future. Mr. and Mrs. G. Prough have donated and installed a desk lamp on the speaker's desk. A class of six persons, is receiving instruction in expectation of being received into the church.

MELVIN GINGERICH 26 RECEIVES DOCTOR'S DEGREE

On June 6, the graduate college of the State University of Iowa, conferred the Ph.D. degree on Melvin Gingerich 26. Dr. Gingerich was born near Kalona, Iowa, January 29, 1902. After graduating from the

Kalona High School, in 1920, he attended Hesston College at Hesston, Kans., for two years. During the following two years, 1922-24, he taught in the rural schools of Iowa. During the next two years he attended Goshen College and was graduated in June, 1926, with a major in history. After his graduation, he served for one year as principal of the Clinton Community School in Elkhart County. Beginning in the fall of 1927 he became instructor in history in Washington High School, Washington, Iowa, and since the founding of Washington Junior College in 1930, he has been instructor in American history in that institution. Dr. Gingerich received the M.A. degree from the State University of Iowa in 1934, the subject of his thesis being "The Amish Mennonites of Johnson County, Iowa." The subject of his doctoral thesis is "The Mennonites in Iowa." His dissertation is more than a mere collection of historical data; it is rather a contribution and evaluation of Mennonite life and growth in Iowa and as such is a valuable contribution to the study of the history and life of the broader Mennonite stream. Dr. Gingerich is a member of the Iowa State Historical Society, The National Council for the Social Studies, the National Educational Association, and the Historical Committee of the Mennonite Church. He is teaching three courses in American history at Sioux Falls College, Sioux Falls, South Dakota, during the coming summer and in September will resume his work as instructor in history in the Washington Junior College. His dissertation has been read and accepted for publication by the superintendent of the Iowa State Historical Society, Dr. B. J. Shambaugh, and will appear early in 1939, as a 100-year anniversary number of the coming of the Mennonites to Iowa.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S INSTITUTE

A Young People's Institute will be held on the Goshen College campus after the close of summer school, August 17-21. The institute will be especially for young people of Indiana and adjoining territory. However, visitors from a distance are always welcomed. Members of the staff include Nelson Kauffman, superintendent of Hannibal, Missouri, Mission; E. E. Miller 17, returned missionary from India; H. S. Bender 18, dean of Goshen College; Bishop C. F. Derstine, Kitchener, Ontario; John Duerksen 37, Raymond Yoder 38, Mrs. Glen Miller, Professor Paul Mininger 34, and Dr. Glen Miller. I. E. Burkhart 26, is director of the Institute.

SUMMER ACTIVITIES OF THE FACULTY

President Sanford C. Yoder held week-end meetings at Gridley, Illinois on May 14 and 15, and preached at the Home Mission at Chicago on Sunday, May 22. He spent Monday, May 23, at Northern Baptist Theological Seminary, attending the Alumni Reunion, and receiving the D.D. degree at the commencement in the evening. He delivered the commencement address at Berlin High School, Berlin, Ohio, on Tuesday evening, May 24. Sunday morning, May 29, he held baptismal services at the North Goshen Mennonite Church. He officiated at the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Lind on the afternoon of Sunday, June 5, and spoke at the Sunday School meeting at the Salem Church near Wakarusa in the evening. President Yoder plans to spend the summer traveling in Pennsylvania, Oklahoma, Texas, Colorado, and Nebraska in the interests of the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities and of Goshen College.

Dean H. S. Bender will spend the greater part of the summer in the service of the Mennonite Central Committee, the relief agency of the American Mennonites. The Committee is sending him to South America to look after the interests of the Committee in the Mennonite colonies in Brazil and Paraguay. He will be devoting approximately two weeks to the Brazilian colonies, which are located about three hundred miles south of Rio de Janeiro, and about four weeks to colonies in Paraguay, which are located about three hundred miles north of Asuncion. The great distances involved and the difficulty of completing the work before school opens in the fall, have led the Committee to choose Pan-American Airways as the mode of transportation. Dean Bender left Miami on Wednesday morning, June 15, just after Commencement, taking the Pan-American Clipper to Rio de Janeiro and following with land-plane service to Asuncion and Buenos Aires. From the latter place he will cross South America and return by the west coast of South America, arriving at Miami on the return about the middle of August. He will take advantage of the opportunity to visit the Mennonite mission in Argentina, and is planning to spend approximately ten days visiting the various stations. He will return in time to take part in the Young People's Institute which is being held on the College campus, August 18-21.

Dr. and Mrs. Samuel Witmer 14 and their daughter, Mildred, do not have their plans for the summer completed. They will spend the early part of the vacation in Goshen.

Dr. and Mrs. Silas Hertzler 13 and family, after attending the Mission Board Meeting at Wayland, Iowa, will spend approximately a month doing research work on the genealogy of the Hertzler-Hartzler family. They will spend the remainder of the summer vacation in travel.

The following members of the faculty will teach courses in the Goshen College summer session: Dr. Guy F. Hershsberger, Dr. Glenn R. Miller, Professor Walter E. Yoder 33, Dr. Paul Bender, Dr. M. C. Lehman 15, Mrs. Carl Hostetler (LaVerne Yoder) 34, and Stella Kauffman 34.

Professor Willard Smith 28 will continue work on his Doctor's thesis. He will be engaged in research in the libraries of Washington, Philadelphia, and New York. Professor and Mrs. Smith will spend most of the summer in the east.

Dr. and Mrs. H. Harold Hartzler will spend part of the summer at Penn State College. Dr. Hartzler will continue his study in mathematics. He will spend part of the time in eastern Pennsylvania doing research on the King family genealogy.

Miss Lydia Shenk 29 will visit various points in Pennsylvania and Virginia, for about a month after the close of school.

Miss Mary Royer 30 will attend the second annual Reading Laboratory Institute at George Peabody College for teachers at Nashville, Tennessee. She will be accompanied by her sister, Katherine 34.

Miss Olive Wyse 26 will continue graduate study in home economics at Columbia University. Miss Lois

Winey 36 will do graduate work in Commerce at the same institution.

Professor Paul Mininger 35 will be enrolled in the University of Michigan working on his Ph.D. thesis and auditing a few classes. To perform his duties as pastor of the North Goshen church he will return home over week-ends.

Dr. Edward Yoder has resigned as head of the department of classical languages. Dr. and Mrs. Yoder and their son, Virgil, will take up permanent residence at Scottdale, Pennsylvania, where he will continue his editorial work at the Mennonite Publishing House.

John Coffman 34, assistant librarian, will continue his study of library science at the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor.

CLASS OF 1938

Following is a list of the graduates from all departments of Goshen College both for June and August. This is by far the largest class that has ever been graduated from the institution. One hundred and three diplomas and degrees were awarded. The following list gives the name and address and the major or majors of each member of the graduating class.

Bachelor of Arts

June

Blough, Alvin John, Hollsopple, Pennsylvania, physical science, mathematics.

Brenneman, Timothy H., Elida, Ohio, Bible, biology.

Byler, C. Leland, Goshen, music, French.

Conrad, Lloyd Vincent, Louisville, Ohio, mathematics, social science.

Friesen, John A., Jamgaon, C. P., India, Bible, music.

Hertzler, Emanuel Cassel, Norristown, Pennsylvania, chemistry, biology.

Kreider, Don, Wadsworth, Ohio, economics and commerce, history.

Lehman, Waldo Jacob, Goshen, physical science, biology.

Martin, Ruby Pearl, Minot, North Dakota, social sciences, English.

Miller, Samuel Paul, Garden City, Missouri, physical science, biology.

Neff, Charles Amos, Chicago, Illinois, biology, chemistry.

Oyer, Thelma Ferne, Eureka, Illinois, English, history.

Reist, Robert Leo, Falfurrias, Texas, chemistry, mathematics.

Roth, Delilah Eleanor, San Antonio, Texas, history, English.

Roth, Vera Mae, San Antonio, Texas, English, Bible.

Schnell, Myrtle Barbara, Orrville, Ohio, French, English.

Schnell, Russell Fred, Goshen, Bible, French.

Shetler, Luther LeRoy, Goshen, physical science, mathematics.

Stiver, Arlowene Grace, Wakarusa, Indiana, home economics, physical science.

Stouffer, Eva Florence, Wadsworth, Ohio, Bible, biology.

Troyer, Lotus Edward, Middlebury, Indiana, physical science, mathematics.

Yoder, Lois M., Hubbard, Oregon, German, social science.

Yoder, Raymond Mark, Goshen, Bible, education.

August

Blough, Gertrude DeBoer, Hollsopple, Pennsylvania, home economics, education.

Brothers, Chester Rodibaugh, Goshen, mathematics, education.

Miller, Clyde Elrose, Springs, Pennsylvania, mathematics, physical science.

Bachelor of Science in Education

June

Boshart, Maurice Elmo, Goshen, music.

Feeser, Mary, Elkhart, Indiana, history.

Gerber, Oswin George, Dalton, Ohio, Bible.

Good, Alta Evalena, Kaintoul, Illinois, commerce.

Haberstich, Gustav A., Goshen, biology.

Hallman, Anna Melinda, Tuleta, Texas, English.

Leatherman, Anna D., Lansdale, Pennsylvania, English.

Mendenhall, Maude W., Goshen, French.

Nafziger, Vesta Ann, Wauseon, Ohio, biology.

Nelson, Winifred Irene, Newaygo, Michigan, home economics.

Ressler, Ruth, Scottdale, Pennsylvania, English.

Risser, Bertha Anna, Hershey, Pennsylvania, English.

Roth, Vera Mae, San Antonio, Texas, English.

Schnell, Myrtle Barbara, Orrville, Ohio, French.

Smucker, Ira Jay, Orrville, Ohio, history.

Weaver, Louise, Goshen, history.

Weber, Esther, Lititz, Pennsylvania, English.

August

Fogelsonger, (Mrs.) Ruth, New Paris, Indiana, English.

Hartzler, Lloyd Emerson, Harrisonville, Missouri, biology.

Holderman, Henry J., Goshen, social science.

Risser, Mary Esther, Hershey, Pennsylvania, English.

Scally, Lena, Elkhart, Indiana, social science.

Shenk, Ezra William, Goshen, English.

Yoder, Huber Austin, Elkhart, Indiana, social science.

Bachelor of Theology

June

Brenneman, Timothy H., Elida, Ohio.

Brilhart, Earle Rodney, Scottdale, Pennsylvania.

Duerksen, John Paul, Kingman, Kansas.

Fretz, Clarence, Perkasio, Pennsylvania.

Friesen, John A., Jamgaon, C. P., India.

Hershey, Lester T., Trenque Lauquen, Argentina.

Lapp, Harriet, Dhamtari, C. P., India.

Yoder, Raymond Mark, Goshen.

August

Bachman, Leland Alvin, Morton, Illinois.

Bachelor of Science in Home Economics

June

Huffman, Orpha Mae, Edwardsburg, Michigan, mathematics.

Elementary Teacher Training Diploma

June

Allan, William J., Jr., Louisville, Ohio.

Bauer, Margaret Elizabeth, Peoria, Illinois.

Biggs, Beth Beryl, New Paris, Indiana.

Blosser, Fred Brechbill, Goshen.

Catheart, Mary Alice, Bristol, Indiana.
 Christner, Rufus N., Millersburg, Indiana.
 Eash, Dorsey Elwood, Hollsopple, Pennsylvania.
 Eash, Elsie Elizabeth, Hollsopple, Pennsylvania.
 Gerber, Titus Monroe, Millersburg, Ohio.
 Gongwer, Robert Lewis, Wakarusa, Indiana.
 Holaway, Elta Marie, Nappanee, Indiana.
 Hooley, Ella Mae, Ligonier, Indiana.
 Hostetler, Thelma Maxine, West Liberty, Ohio.
 Johns, Daniel Allen, Millersburg, Ohio.
 Kaufman, Marie Ida, Havelock, Iowa.
 Lehman, Vivian Cleora, Berne, Indiana.
 Lehman, Leonard Weaver, Goshen.
 Mast, Dorothy June, Millersburg, Ohio.
 Miller, Esther Eva, Middlebury, Indiana.
 Miller, Kathryn A., Lagrange, Indiana.
 Miller, Pearl Barbara, Millersburg, Ohio.
 Moyer, Rachel D., Perkasio, Pennsylvania.
 Phillips, Helen Esther, Goshen.
 Plank, L. Elizabeth, West Liberty, Ohio.
 Price, Cornell, Lagrange, Indiana.
 Ramseyer, Marie Gladys, Smithville, Ohio.
 Reed, Dorothy LaVon, New Paris, Indiana.
 Shenk, Mary Kathryn, Elida, Ohio.
 Sieber, Ruth Pauline, Goshen.
 Spurgeon, Agnes Ruth, New Paris, Indiana.
 Stamm, Geneva May, Archbold, Ohio.
 Stump, Lawrence Jefferson, Elkhart, Indiana.
 Sutter, Mary Louise, Kouts, Indiana.
 Swope, Margaret Frances, North Lima, Ohio.
 Troyer, Esther, Shipshewana, Indiana.
 Welty, Mary Elizabeth, Goshen.
 Wenger, Anne Ruth, Wooster, Ohio.
 Wright, Russell Edward, Elkhart, Indiana.
 Yoder, Frances Genevieve, Topeka, Indiana.
 Yoder, Marjory Ellen, Bellefontaine, Ohio.
 Yordy, Aldine Gwendolyn, Minonk, Illinois.

August

Ebersole, Alvin, Kokomo, Indiana.
 Smetzer, Verla Fisher, Elkhart, Indiana.
 Von Pelchrzim, Edith Leona, Goshen.

Probably on account of the business "recession," members of the class of 1938 are having slightly more difficulty in securing positions than did members of the class of 1937 a year ago. But the record is much better than it was during the depression years.

As mentioned elsewhere in this issue Tim Brenne-man is planning to sail for South America as a missionary under the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities this fall.

Leland Byler left before Commencement to begin his duties as band director in a boy's camp in North Carolina.

Waldo Lehman has been accepted by Northwestern University School of Medicine and plans to enter the University in September.

Thelma Oyer has accepted a position as teacher of grades one to four in the Goodfield, Illinois, schools.

Luther Shetler will go into the dairy business with his father, Alvin P. Shetler, of Goshen, who has a fine dairy herd and a growing retail milk business.

Arlowene Stiver, of Wakarusa, has a year-round position as Smith-Hughes teacher of home economics in the Wakarusa public schools.

Lotus Troyer, also, will return to his home high school to teach. He will be instructor in mathematics and English in the Middlebury, Indiana, schools.

Lois M. Yoder, who has been secretary to the President during her undergraduate years, will be assistant to the registrar.

Maurice Boshart will teach music and art in the Lakeview, Ohio, public schools.

Mary Feeser will continue her work as principal and teacher in the Osolo Township schools in Elkhart County.

Oswin Gerber will be a rural school teacher near his home at Dalton, Ohio.

G. A. Haberstich has been re-employed as principal and seventh and eighth grade teacher in the Waterford schools.

Vesta Nafziger is planning to sail for India in the fall under the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities.

Ruth Ressler, of Scottsdale, Pa., and Bertha and Mary Risser, of Hershey, Pa., prefer to return to the rural schoolroom next fall and will be welcomed back by their former pupils.

Ira Smucker will teach a rural school in Wayne County, Ohio.

Anna Hallman will teach grades three and four at Tuleta, Texas.

Henry Holderman will teach grade seven in a school near Denver, Colorado.

Louise Weaver will teach in a Methodist Mission School at Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Esther Weber will begin graduate work in library science at the University of Illinois next September.

Mrs. Ruth Fogelsonger will continue her work as instructor in commerce in the New Paris high school next September.

Lloyd Hartzler will attend a school of embalming.

Lena Scally will continue her work as a teacher of science in the Central Junior High of Elkhart.

Ezra Shenk is employed to teach the seventh grade in the Broadway, Virginia, schools beginning in September.

Huber Yoder will continue his work as a teacher of social studies to grades five to eight in the Osolo Township schools.

John Duerksen will be proctor of Coffman Hall next year and will also be an assistant instructor in music.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Bachman (Elsie Springer 26) and little David are moving back to Morton, Illinois, where Mr. Bachman is assistant pastor of the Mennonite congregation.

Harriet Lapp will continue her work in the Mennonite Home Mission in Chicago.

Margaret Bauer will teach a rural school near her home east of Peoria, Illinois.

Beth Biggs will teach the lower grades at Benton, Indiana, where she will succeed Helen Miller 37 who was released because she was not a resident of the county.

Robert Gangwer and Leonard Lehman will teach in Harrison Township, one of them filling the vacancy caused by the resignation of Ernest E. Miller 35 to accept a position in the Jefferson Township school.

Elta Holaway will fill a vacancy in the Locke Township schools caused by the promotion of her sister Shirley to another school in the county.

Ella Mae Hooley and Elizabeth Plank do not plan to teach next year but will complete the four year elementary teacher training course.

Cornell Price has been employed to teach a rural school in Lagrange County.

Ruth Sieber will teach a rural school near Morton, Illinois.

Aldine Yordy has accepted a teaching position near her home at Minonk, Illinois.

Alvin Ebersole will resume teaching near his home in Howard County, Indiana.

Elsie Eash will teach the primary grades in a school near Hollsopple, Pa.

Daniel Johns will teach a rural school near Millersburg, Ohio.

Marie Kaufman will be a rural school teacher in Washington County, Iowa.

Vivian Lehman is employed to teach a rural school near her home at Berne, Indiana.

Dorothy Mast, like her sisters Olive and Elsie, will begin her teaching career as a rural school teacher in Holmes County, Ohio.

Esther Miller will teach a rural school in Middlebury Township, Elkhart County.

Marie Ramseyer will be a teacher in the rural schools of Green Township, Wayne County, Ohio.

Geneva Stamm will teach a rural school in Fulton County, Ohio.

Esther Troyer will teach a rural school near Shipshewana, Indiana.

Russell Wright is employed to teach a rural school in Cleveland Township, Elkhart County.

Mrs. Verla Smetzer is employed to teach the primary grades in an Elkhart County school.

WEDDING BELLS

The last issue of the News-Letter should have mentioned the marriage of Kenneth Mullet of Middlebury, Indiana, and Verna Weldy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leander A. Weldy 03, of 1233 South Eighth Street, Goshen, Indiana, at the home of the bride's parents on April 16. President Sanford C. Yoder, who is a bishop in the Mennonite Church, was the officiating minister.

On May 14, at the home of Mrs. Henry Lentz, North Main Street, Milford, Indiana, Marybelle Lentz 37 became the bride of Burriss N. Sharp, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harlan H. Sharp of Milford. The bride was given in marriage by her brother, Dr. Owen N. Lentz, of Nappanee, and her uncle, the Reverend Leroy Geiger, pastor of the Crescent Avenue Evangelical Church of Fort Wayne, read the ceremony. After the completion of their new residence on South Main Street, Milford, Mr. and Mrs. Sharp will take up residence there. Mrs. Sharp was a teacher in the Leesburg School during the past year. Mr. Sharp is associated with the Sharp Hardware Company in Milford.

On June 3, Mr. Ray V. Haning of Belle Center, Ohio, and Marie Bender, daughter of Mr. J. A. Bender of Springs, Pennsylvania, were married at the home of Roy Otto, the officiating minister. Since completing the Elementary Teacher Training Course at Goshen College in 1934, Mrs. Haning has been engaged in teaching in the schools of Somerset County, Pennsylvania. Mr. Haning is instructor in Commerce at the high school of Belle Center, Ohio, where the young couple will make their home.

Jonathan J. Miller, x37, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Miller, of South Main Street, Goshen, and Kathryn Couturier Byrnes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dodd of Narberth, Ohio, were united in marriage at the Heidelberg Reformed Church in Hatfield, Ohio, on June 4. Mr. Miller graduated from Bluffton College in 1937 and is an instructor in the Holmes-Liberty High School near Bucyrus, Ohio.

On June 4, L. J. Martin 29, son of Mrs. Ada Martin, of Goshen, and Louella Troyer 37, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Troyer, of West Liberty, Ohio, were united in marriage at the Congregational Church in Elkhart, the Reverend Alan Jenkins officiating. The

bride and groom were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. John Allgyer x29, of Plain City, Ohio. During the past year, Mrs. Martin has been teaching the first grade in the Granville, Ohio, Schools and also was a supervising teacher of Dennison University. Mr. Martin is owner of the Martin Painting and Decorating Company of Goshen and Elkhart. Mr. and Mrs. Martin are at home at 1135 South Eighth Street, the residence recently purchased by Mr. Martin.

On Sunday, June 5, Ivan R. Lind 35, son of Bishop and Mrs. Norman A. Lind x02 (Sarah Flohr) x03, of Tangent, Oregon, and Ethel Ebersole x40, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ebersole of Elkhart, Indiana, were united in marriage in the Prairie Street Church at Elkhart, President Sanford Yoder officiating. During the past two years, Mr. Lind has been a student at Eastern Baptist Theological Seminary in Philadelphia where he received the B.D. degree in May. Mr. and Mrs. Lind will take up their residence in Hesston, Kansas, next September where Mr. Lind has been employed to teach commerce at Hesston College during the coming year. Mrs. Lind has completed the Sophomore year at Goshen College and will continue her college work at Hesston.

On Saturday morning, June 11, Carl Hostetler B.A. 33 and B.S. 34, son of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Hostetler, of Barrs Mills, Ohio, and Miss E. LaVerne Yoder 34, youngest daughter of President and Mrs. Sanford Calvin Yoder, of 1139 South Eighth Street, Goshen, were united in marriage in the College chapel, the father of the bride officiating. Mr. Hostetler taught science and English in the Walnut Creek, Ohio, High School for three years after graduating from Goshen College, entered the School of Medicine of Western Reserve University at Cleveland, Ohio, last September and expects to continue his work next year. Mrs. Hostetler, after receiving the B.A. degree from Goshen College in 1934, received the M.A. degree from the State University of Iowa in 1935. Since that time, she has been an instructor in English, public speaking, and physical education for women, at the College. Mrs. Hostetler will continue her work at the College next September as instructor in English and director of physical education for women. She will be a regular instructor on the College faculty during the Summer Session.

On Saturday evening, June 11, Roy Umble 35, son of Professor and Mrs. John Umble 01 (Alice Landis 01) and Ferne Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Smith, of Eureka, Illinois, were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, J. N. Kaufman, pastor of the Pleasant Hill Church near Peoria, Illinois, and an uncle of the bride, officiating. During the past year Mr. Umble has been instructor in speech at James Whitcomb Riley High School in South Bend, and has been re-employed for the coming year. Mrs. Umble, since her graduation from the two-year Elementary Teacher Training Course at Goshen College in 1933 has been employed as a teacher near her home. Following a brief auto trip, Mr. and Mrs. Umble will be at home at 2219 Maple Avenue, Evanston, Illinois, where Mr. Umble expects to continue graduate work in the School of Speech at Northwestern University for the summer.

On Monday evening, June 6, in the Maple Grove Church at Topeka, Indiana, Gladys Yoder, daughter of Bishop and Mrs. Edwin J. Yoder 09, of Topeka, Indiana, was united in marriage with Dewayne J.

Johns, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Johns, of Ligonier, the father of the bride officiating. Mr. Johns is an industrious young farmer and for the past year has been president of the Indiana-Michigan Literary Society Convention.

On Tuesday, June 7, John Troyer of Orrville, Ohio, and Ina Martin of Hopedale, Illinois, were united in marriage by Rev. Simon Litwiller. A reception was held for the couple in the evening. Mr. and Mrs. Troyer have been Winter Bible School students for the past several years.

JUNIOR ALUMNI

Janette S., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford P. Martin 27 (Erma Schertz 32) of 1208 Prairie Street, Elkhart, was born at Goshen Hospital May 27.

Jon K., son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Clemens (Mary Kaufmann 36) was born May 10.

Calvin Junior, son of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Holderman of New York City, was born Friday, June 3. Mr. and Mrs. Holderman were both registered in the senior class of Goshen College during the first semester. At the midyear they returned to New York City where Mr. Holderman is employed in the Bellvue Hospital as a nurse. He also teaches a class in psychology in the nursing school.

Berdine May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Wyse 32 was born June 8.

A daughter was born to Rev. and Mrs. J. S. Pritchard, of Syracuse, Indiana, on June 7.

Franklin Stauffer, son of Dr. and Mrs. Fred Breneman 33 (Millie Page Brenneman 33), was born February 17.

NECROLOGY

Mary E. Yoder, x33, daughter of Mrs. Anthony Kauffman, of West Liberty, Ohio, was born July 31, 1910, at West Liberty, Ohio; died May 10, at North Lima, Ohio. Her father Christian Yoder, died twenty-three years ago. On March 7, 1931, she was united in marriage to Lauren Shank of North Lima, Ohio. She is survived by her husband, two sons and a daughter, also her mother, two brothers, a sister, and a half brother.

On August 27, 1857, Armenon Yoder was born in Union Township, Logan County, Ohio, the youngest daughter of Jacob and Phoebe Yoder and died May 18, 1938. On March 1, 1881, she was united in marriage to David S. Yoder, a pioneer Sunday school and mission worker. She was the mother of Mrs. J. E. Hartzler (Mayme Yoder 08); Ruth A. Yoder 18, of Bellefontaine, Ohio; John L. x11, of West Liberty, Ohio; Mrs. Nellie Y. Kuttruff 16, of Blythe, California; and Joe Herman x19, of Vero Beach, Florida.

Homer A. Yoder 18, who has been ill for the past fifteen years, and for the last ten months confined to the Los Angeles Hospital, passed away on May 26, at the age of forty-one. Mrs. Yoder, formerly Effie E. Ganger, 19, survives him. Their children are Vincent and Roberta. Funeral services were held in Los An-

geles on May 28. Mr. Yoder was a brother of Mrs. J. E. Brunk 15. Mr. and Mrs. Brunk and family have been residing in Los Angeles for the past few months.

PERSONAL

Virgil G. Good x31 is now a successful Doctor of Chiropractic in Cincinnati. Dr. Good is located at 3216 Observatory Avenue, Cincinnati, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Omar J. Rhodes 33 and son, of R. R. 3, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, visited friends on the campus over the week-end of June 4 and remained for most of the Commencement exercises. Mr. Rhodes, Regional Director of part of Johnson County, Iowa, is superintendent of the Jefferson Township (Shueyville) High School. Mr. and Mrs. Rhodes returned to Iowa in time for summer school at the State University of Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. U. Grant Weaver are located in Westmont Boro, a suburb of Johnstown, Pennsylvania. Mr. Weaver was formerly an instructor in elementary education in the College and Mrs. Weaver was a member of the class of 1931. Mr. Weaver is principal of the Brownstown Borough School in a district adjoining the Westmont Boro. He is also superintendent of the Mennonite Sunday school of the Weaver Church near Johnstown and superintendent of the Headrich Sunday school (a mission station) near the steel center of the city. The mission school is conducted during the afternoon. Since leaving Goshen, Mr. Weaver has entirely regained his health.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Wenger 34 are now located at Birsfelderstrasse 39 in Basel, Switzerland. They expect to return to the States sometime during the summer.

J. C. Fretz 30, Regional Director for part of the Ontario district, is now located in the Golden Rule Bookstore in Kitchener, Ontario. His duties at the store, which is located at 256 King Street East, keep him occupied most of the time. He will, no doubt, have difficulty in visiting alumni who do not pay their pledges promptly but if anyone wishes to hand him a subscription for the College he will be glad to receive it and forward it.

Dr. M. C. Lehman 04, spent several days at the meeting of the Ohio Mission Board and gave several addresses. He was accompanied by Mrs. Lehman. He attended the Indiana Mission Board Meeting on June 16.

Gladys M. Burkhart 32, of Knoxville, Tennessee, secretary to the executive secretary of the TVA, continues to enjoy her work in spite of the recent shake-up in that organization. The Alumni Office is happy to welcome "Gladie" into the growing group of more generous contributors to the Alumni Fund who do not stop with an annual donation of ten dollars.

Dr. and Mrs. E. J. Camp 28 (Lois Lapp 30) and their children, Evelyn, aged seven, and Dickie, two, of 1863 St. Clair Street, St. Paul, Minnesota, very pleasantly entertained the editor and his wife at dinner in their cheerful and commodious apartment on Saturday evening, June 18. Dr. Camp has been advanced to the chairmanship of the mathematics department at Macalester College where he has been teaching during the past year. He and Mrs. Camp are enthusiastic about St. Paul and the future of Macalester.

Mr. and Mrs. Aldine C. Brunk 12, missionaries to India, are home on furlough and were present at the College for the annual commencement.

Harriet E. Yoder x37, daughter of Attorney J. S. Yoder 05 of Goshen; and Jean Whitney x36, of Elkhart, received the bachelor's degree in home economics at Purdue University in June. J. S. Yoder attended the commencement exercises.

Bernice Zook x38 and Dona Belle Hepler 35, both of Goshen spent ten days motoring in the East early in June. They visited Pittsburgh, Washington, Philadelphia and New York City.

Out of town alumni present at the wedding of Carl Hostetler and Miss LaVerne Yoder included: Alice Hostetler, Barrs Mills, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Roth 33 (Mary Musselman 33), of Orrtanna, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gerber 33 (Marion Wisseman 36), of Sugarcreek, Ohio; Helen Oesch 34, of Spartansburg, Pa.; Dr. Sarah Esch 33, of Philadelphia, Pa.; Leon Glick 36, of Canton, Ohio; Ruth Ebersole 37 and Elinor Smith 37, of Sugarcreek, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. David Esch x33 (Evelyn Emmert x35), of Elkhart; Miss Edith Witmer, of Elizabethtown, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Linus Eigsti 33 (Lorene Rocke 36), of Tiskilwa, Illinois; Dr. and Mrs. Wallace Miller 27, (Ada E. Smith x28) of Normal, Illinois; and Mr. and Mrs. Loren King 31, of Kings Creek, Ohio.

Mrs. Ina K. Slate 36, of 628 South Fifth Street, Goshen, sailed for Ireland on the steamship *Brittanie* on Saturday, June 11, intending to spend a month motoring through that country. From Ireland she expected to take a yacht cruise to the North Cape visiting the Scandinavian countries.

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Plank 09 (Olive Nafziger 12) and their daughter, Elaine 40, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Nafziger, attended Commencement exercises at Indiana University, where Clara Marie Plank x38 was a member of the graduating class. Miss Plank's major was English.

Joseph C. Baumgartner 21, has been head of the Department of Social Studies in Lincoln High School, Cleveland, Ohio, for the past two years.

Quintus Leatherman 27 has a teaching position in a Philadelphia high school. Mr. and Mrs. Leatherman have purchased a home in Souderton, Pennsylvania.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Umble x31 have purchased a six-room bungalow at 601 East Tenth Street, Enid, Oklahoma. Mr. Umble is employed as chemist in the refinery of the Champlain Oil Company at Enid, Oklahoma. Mrs. Umble is superintendent of the summer Bible School at Calvary Baptist Church in Enid. She is also superintendent of young people's work in the congregation.

Mrs. Lina Zook Ressler 01, of Scottsdale, Pa., was a commencement visitor. Her daughter, Ruth, a member of the class of 1938, made an excellent record as an English student during the past year.

Raymond J. Schertz 22, principal of the Metamora, Illinois, High School has been elected delegate to the national convention of the N. E. A. to be held in New York City in July. Mr. and Mrs. Schertz (Florence Landis 15) and their two eldest sons Robert and Burtron motored east to the convention by a southern route that took them through the Great Smokies and then spent a considerable time touring the New England states and returning by a northern route.

E. A. Meyer 20 is president of the Gettysburg, Pa., Rotary Club. Howard Musselman 29 is also a member of the club.

Mrs. Maybelle Stump 21 has returned to Goshen since completing the work for the M.A. degree on June 1 at Union Theological Seminary and Columbia Teachers College in New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Hostetler (Gladys Bontrager x31) have been appointed superintendent and matron of the Mennonite Mission at Canton, Ohio. Their address formerly was 510 Capital Boulevard, Elkhart, Indiana.

Subject to the action of the annual meeting of the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities at Wayland, Iowa, in June, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Hostetler 30 (Velma Lapp 32) and Agnes Nafziger 38 are candidates for the India Mission field to sail this fall.

Also subject to the action of the annual meeting of the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Brenneman 37 (B.A. and Th.B. 38) (Rowena Stalter) and children, Patricia and Donnie, are candidates for the South American field to take up work this fall.

John Albert Welty x32, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Welty 23, of Goshen, was graduated from Ball State Teachers College at Muncie in June. His parents, his brother Robert x35, and his sister Mary 38 attended the commencement exercises. Mr. Welty's major was manual arts in which he has made an excellent record at Muncie.

The following alumni are continuing their graduate work at the University of Iowa during the Summer Session: Glen Guengerich 36 in history; Alta Housour 32, Anna M. Hertzler 33, and Bertha Nitzsche 36, in home economics; and Ivan Lind 36 in commerce.

Edith Witmer, instructor in home economics at Goshen College from 1926 to 1930, spent the Commencement season on the campus visiting friends and former associates on the faculty. She was the special guest of Miss Wyse and Miss Royer.

Anna Autenreith, graduate from the seminary course in 1905, was present on the campus over the Commencement season. Miss Autenreith is a registered nurse, and since the closing of the nurse's training school at Mercy Hospital, has been doing floor duty. Her address is 2449 South Dearborn Street, Chicago, Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lamse (Esther Schott 19) of La Porte, Indiana, were present at the annual alumni banquet and reunion.

Beulah Loucks 27, of 805 Market Street, Scottsdale, Pennsylvania, continues her warm spirit of loyalty to her Alma Mater. Her careful and efficient work as proof reader in the Mennonite Publishing House at Scottsdale, Pennsylvania, makes the task of the editor of the ALUMNI NEWS-LETTER easy and pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bender x25, of the Department of History of Phillips Academy, Andover, Massachusetts, have moved to Andover from Cambridge. Their address is Hidden Field, Andover, Massachusetts.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Meyer (Esther Steiner 18), of the C. H. Musselman Company, Biglerville, Pennsylvania, were present at the alumni banquet and reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth A. Troyer x03, of Middlebury, Indiana, and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin P. Shetler x10 (Sadie Yoder x09), of Goshen were among the alumni whose sons were graduated this year. Lotus, the son of the former, has been an excellent student and a good all round athlete. Luther Shetler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Shetler has made an excellent record as a student in physical science and mathematics.

I. W. Royer 00, secretary of the Executive Committee of the Ohio Mennonite Sunday School Conference, announces that the annual conference will be held in August.

Eli Stoltzfus 22, of West Liberty, has been recommended by Dr. William E. Warner to become a member of Chi Iota Chapter of Epsilon Pi Tau Fraternity. This recommendation has been made to the Chapter of the National Honorary Professional Fraternity in Industrial Arts and Industrial Vocational Education, located in the Carnegie Institute of Technology, Pittsburgh. Mr. Stoltzfus has been teaching Industrial Arts and Science at the West Liberty High School for the past four years.

The annual Elkhart County Youth Conference, sponsored by the Young People's Division of the Elkhart County Council of Christian Education, was held May 27-28 in the Eighth Street Mennonite Church. The president of the youth organization of Elkhart County is J. A. Leatherman 40, of Bristol, superintendent of the Bristol Methodist Sunday School. Wayne Yeater 40, of New Paris, is also prominent in the work of the youth organization.

Dora Shantz 27 is spending the Commencement season at the Mennonite Hospital at La Junta with her classmates at the nursing school.

One of the most active of the Regional Directors is M. O. Krabill 22, principal of the Fairhope School near Louisville, Ohio.

J. Forrest Kanagy 30, Regional Director for one of the southeastern Pennsylvania sections, has just concluded a term as president of the Biglerville, Pennsylvania, P.T.A.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Reist 04 (Lulu Greenwalt 04), and daughter, Eleanor, of Falfurrias, Texas, were commencement visitors. Their son and brother, Robert, received the B.A.

In the May 26 issue of the *Gospel Herald*, Allen H. Erb x11, superintendent of the hospital and sanitarium at La Junta, Colorado, gives an interesting report of the observance of National Hospital Day on Thursday, May 12. The fiscal year which closed March 31 is the best year in the history of the hospital so far. A total of 1375 patients were admitted to the hospital. There were 3477 efforts in personal work and five confessions of Christ. The total expenditure for the year was \$50,969.22. This amount was made up by hospital fees, endowments and donations. Sixty-four per cent of the hospital fees were collected. This means that thirty-six per cent of the work was free service.

In the May 11 issue of the *Gospel Herald* Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Whittaker (Fern Zimmerman x36) give an interesting report of the mission station at 2235 Northwest Xavier Street, Portland, Oregon. They describe a number of interesting projects in connection with their Sunday school, the Summer Bible School, and the Summer Camp work.

Mrs. Paul Erb (Alta Mae Eby 12) is teaching in Bethel College, Kansas, during the first part of the summer. Later she will be at George Peabody College for Teachers at Nashville, Tenn.

Orpha Mae Huffman 38, who received the B.S. degree in home economics this spring is attending Michigan State University, working toward the Master's degree in nutrition and institutional management.

Ernest E. Miller 17, missionary on furlough from India, preached the baccalaureate sermon at Hesston College in June.

On May 29 Roy Umble 35 was present at the celebration of the sixtieth anniversary of the founding of the Northwestern University School of Speech at Evanston, Illinois. The twenty-fifth anniversary of the appointment of Dean Ralph B. Dennis as dean of the school was celebrated at the same time.

Myrtle Kolb 37, is spending the summer months at Michigan State University.

Olive Wyse 26, instructor in home economics, Lois Winey 36, assistant business manager, and Florence E. Bender 22 are attending Columbia University in New York City this summer, each studying in her field of interest. Miss Bender will drive.

Alice Housour 34 assisted as teacher in the Yellow Creek Mennonite Bible School May 2-13, and in the Olive Mennonite Bible School May 16-27.

John Coffman 33, assistant librarian, taught a first year High School course at Summer Bible School and served as director of singing at the Yellow Creek Mennonite Church May 2-13. On May 16-27 he taught a second year High School course at Summer Bible School and was director of singing at the Olive Mennonite Church. He taught a fourth year high school course and was the director of Summer Bible School at Prairie Street Mennonite Church, in Elkhart, on June 6-24.

Emery I. Eigsti x23, proprietor of Walnut Grove Stock Farm, one and one fourth miles east of Wayland, Iowa, on Highway 78, is engaged in farming. He devotes a large portion of his time to the breeding of Registered Brown Swiss Cattle. This year he is growing a field of Hybrid parent corn that will produce seed for next year that will be adapted for Southeastern Iowa. During his spare time he is assisting with various organizations among the farmers in Henry County. At present Mr. Eigsti is representing his county on the Board of Directors of the Iowa Poultry Producers Marketing Association at Ottumwa, Iowa. This is a co-operative organization operating in twenty-one counties in southeastern Iowa.

Elsa Shank 34, who has been a missionary to South America during the past two years, is returning to the homeland. On her arrival she will become the bride of Brother Costello who has charge of the Mennonite Mission for Mexicans in Chicago.

Gerrit Dykstra 31 of 268 North Eighth Street, Paterson, New Jersey, is firmly convinced that Christian education must be given not from the College down, but from the kindergarten up. For the past twenty years, he has been teaching in a Christian school for boys and girls. Some forty-five years ago, the parents of the Christian Reformed Churches of the Jersey City community organized the system for Christian instruction in New Jersey. Today they have four grammar schools in the vicinity of Paterson, with an enrollment of approximately nine hundred children. They also have a Christian High School with one hundred and eighty students. Mr. Dykstra teaches the eighth grade in the North Fourth Street Christian School of Paterson.

The address of Mrs. Arnold E. Greer (Esther Leininger 29) has been changed to Route 3, Box 326, South Bend, Indiana.

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GOSHEN COLLEGE ACCREDITMENT PLAN

The following names complete the list of alumni who have contributed to the Alumni Division of the Goshen College Accredittment Plan up to and including September 1. A complete report of the year's contributions will follow in the next issue.

Class of 1901

Mrs. Mary Burkhard (Mary Yoder)

Class of 1904

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Reist (Lulu Greenwalt)

Class of 1911

John L. Yoder
T. K. Hershey

Class of 1912

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Brunk

Class of 1913

Vernon D. Culp

Class of 1915

Homer Hostetler

Class of 1920

Daniel A. Deter

Class of 1921

W. E. Oswald
Albert Sommer

Class of 1922

Mrs. C. S. Morse (Margaret Anderson)

Class of 1923

Pearl Smith

Class of 1924

Mrs. Fred Thurton (Marie Stemen)

Class of 1925

N. E. Reiff
W. G. Bender

Class of 1926

Mrs. Miles L. Kauffman (Vesta V. Johns)

Class of 1927

Milton and Esther Vogt

Class of 1930

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Kauffman

Class of 1931

Mr. and Mrs. Ora Keiser (Alta Brenneman)
Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Hostetler

Class of 1932

Mrs. Ray Schloneger (Essie Marie Mellinger)

Class of 1933

Otto Binkle
Mr. and Mrs. Menno Miller (Hazel Stauffer)
Nettie Glick

Class of 1934

Ezra Beachy

Class of 1935

Atlee Beachy

Class of 1937

Dwight Weldy
Erma Martin (Mrs. Lyle Yost)
Martha Eiman

Class of 1938

Andrew Bean
Chester Brothers

Class of 1939

Irene Grabill

Class of 1940

Clair Kauffman
Viola Good

SARAH ESCH RECEIVES M.D. DEGREE

Sarah Esch was graduated from Women's Medical College in Philadelphia in June with the M.D. degree. Miss Esch is the second of Goshen College alumnae to receive this degree, the other being Mrs. John Hodel, or as she is professionally known, Mrs. Esther Smucker Hodel, a member of the class of 1925, highly successful practicing physician at Morton, Illinois.

Miss Esch was graduated from Goshen College in 1933 with the degree Bachelor of Arts and, after a year of further study at the College, was granted the degree, Bachelor of Theology, in June, 1934. Upon her graduation from Goshen College Miss Esch entered Women's Medical College in Philadelphia where she was supported by five Mennonite congregations in Ontario, which had furnished her support since her childhood.

After Dr. Esch's graduation in June, she visited Canada and gave an account of her experiences during the four years in medical school at a joint meeting of the five congregations held at Breslau, June 14. She concluded her narrative with a brief Gospel message.

Dr. Esch is an interne at Iowa Lutheran Hospital at Des Moines. The five congregations which have furnished her support hitherto have voted to support her on the India Mission field when she finishes her internship.

JOHN C. WENGER RECEIVES TH.D. DEGREE

John C. Wenger of Telford, Pennsylvania, who was graduated from Goshen College with the Bachelor of Arts degree in 1934, was granted the degree, Doctor of Theology, by the University of Zurich at Zurich, Switzerland, in July. After Dr. Wenger graduated from Goshen College in 1934, he attended Westminster Theological Seminary at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, in 1934-35. Then at the request of the Franconia Mennonite Historical Society he was given a year's leave by the Seminary in order to write the history of Franconia conference. During the year 1936-37, he continued his study at Westminster Theological Seminary. The Seminary released him from his study in April, 1937, in order to enable him to continue graduate work at the University of Zurich. Before his departure for Europe Dr. Wenger was married to Ruth Detweiler, a registered nurse who continued graduate study in obstetrics at Sloane Hospital, New York City. She joined him at Basel on March 17, 1938. In Europe Dr. Wenger studied for two semesters at the University of Zurich and one semester at the University of Basel. At Zurich he was a student of Dr. Emil Brunner who has an honorary Doctor's degree from Oxford and who was recently elected to the faculty of Princeton Seminary. At the University of Basel, Dr. Wenger studied under Karl Barth, probably the greatest figure in world Protestantism. Dr. Wenger's dissertation **History of the Mennonites of the Franconia Conference** was submitted to the faculty of the University of Zurich under the sponsorship of Dr. Fritz Blanke. Dr. Wenger passed his oral examinations on July 9 and sailed from Southampton on July 22 on the S. S. Hansa of the Hamburg-American line. At present Dr. Wenger is engaged in an exhaustive study of the life and theology of Pilgram Marpeck, Tyrolean engineer and Anabaptist elder. Current numbers of the **Mennonite Quarterly Review** contain articles on Pilgram Marpeck from the pen of Dr. Wenger. Dr. Wenger began his teaching service in Goshen College in September of this year. He is teaching both elementary and advanced New Testament Greek, Introduction to the Bible, Life of Christ, and the Church History Survey. Dr. and Mrs. Wenger reside in the College Apartments on College Avenue.

THE HOLDEMAN GENEALOGY

Edwin L. Weaver 26 has presented a copy of his book **The Holdeman Family History** to the Goshen College library. The following is a list of Goshen College alumni who are members of the family or have married into it. The number appearing before each name is the number of the family as it appears in the book.

- 117 Robert L. Gongwer 38
- 132 Elmer E. Lehman 18, who is district manager of the Equitable Life Insurance Society of the United States (N. Y.) and lives in Columbus, Ohio
- 127 Ora M. Yoder 31
- 135 Lowell, 41 Gladys, 37 and Verda 41 Hershberger
- 144 Elmer Hartman x28, who is a farmer near Napanee, Indiana
- 149 Raymond A. Yoder 38
- 160 Rev. Frank Hartman
- 161 Leander A. Weldy 03
- 162 Mildred Marie Weldy 28
- 168 Gladys L. (Mullett) Davidhizer x26

- 184 Mary E. (Martin) Hershberger 29 and Delmar Hershberger 28
- 196 Anna Elizabeth Yoder, a former instructor has again conducted a tourist party to Europe this past summer. This makes about the fifteenth summer
- 222 Eldon J. Weldy x28 now teaches in Locke Township, Elkhart County, Indiana
- 281 Vernon S. Culp 13
- 310 Louise Weaver 38
- 362 Albert F. Holdeman 16
- 363 Arthur E. Holdeman 12, a shoe salesman in Elkhart, Indiana
- 363 George A. Holdeman
- 356 Dr. S. T. Miller 05 and Anna (Holdeman) Miller 03
- 361 Zola L. (Holdeman) Stromberg x25, lives in Kenmore, New York, where Mr. Stromberg is a mechanical draftsman
- 365 Cleo F. (Weaver) Weldy 33
- 365 Joseph C. Good x33 lives on his farm near Fort Wayne, Indiana. His oldest son, Richard Wayne Good, is a student of electrical engineering at Purdue University.
- 369 Joseph A. Flickinger x09 is a farmer. He owns several farms west of Wakarusa, Indiana
- 370 Frances E. Willard x20. Since the decease of her mother, Anna E. (Holdeman) Willard, is president of the Citizen's Bank in Wakarusa.
- 460 Audrey Harrington x40
- 471 Rev. Ralph M. Holdeman x30
- 501 Warren Holdeman
- 503 Nelson D. Holdeman x25 is a teacher in the public schools at Tempe, Arizona, and since leaving Goshen College has studied at the Arizona State College at Tempe.
- 503 Levon Holdeman x28

We are indebted to Mr. Weaver for this list and for the additional information regarding residence and occupation. Alumni who own the book will wish to paste this list on the inside back cover.

FIVE-YEAR REUNION OF THE CLASS OF 1933

Lucille Kreider, class secretary

Commencement week found the class of 1933 well represented on the campus to celebrate its fifth anniversary. The group's first get-together took the form of a picnic on Friday, planned by John E. Coffman and Earle Brillhart. At this time the group was happily surprised to have its Class Letter arrive by special delivery. This letter is decidedly alive, and makes its rounds in less than a year, despite the fact that it goes to South America and to India on each round.

At the Alumni Banquet on Saturday the class gathered at a special "33" table. Later in the evening they met to enjoy Earle Brillhart's "movies" of campus life.

Those present on the campus for all or part of these events were: John E. Coffman, Earle Brillhart, Virginia Brown, Sarah Esch, Irene Eschliman, Carl Hostetler, Ann Hertzler, Orie A. Miller, Helen Moser, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Roth and son Philip, Verna Schertz, Mr. and Mrs. Omar J. Rhodes and son Warren, Otto Binkele, Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Yoder, Mr. and Mrs. Mendenhall and Ruth Eleanor, Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Beachy, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Frey, Mr. and Mrs. Linus Eigsti, Florence Shirk, and Lucille Kreider.

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EDITORIAL CHAT

On account of the large amount of news available for this issue, various special features are omitted from the September NEWS-LETTER.

As we go to press, the Administration of the College is in the midst of the annual fall registration. At the end of the first day's registration, the number enrolled was ten less than last year. But students are still arriving and the enrollment for 1938-39 seems likely to be very slightly less than last year, if any. There are approximately twenty fewer freshmen than last year.

THE AUGUST REUNION

The August reunion of Goshen College alumni was held on the campus on the last Sunday of the month. Not so many alumni and friends were present from a distance, but a larger number than usual of local alumni were in attendance. A bountiful basket luncheon was spread on tables placed in the grove at the rear of the Administration building. A much appreciated visitor was Professor Isaac C. Keller, head of the Department of English at California Teachers College, California, Pennsylvania. Joe E. Brunk 15 was elected president of the reunion for the coming year. Miss Anna Yoder 12, of 1420 South Eighth Street, was re-elected secretary-treasurer.

NORTHEASTERN OHIO ALUMNI REUNION

On Saturday, September 3, Goshen College alumni and friends of Northeastern Ohio held their annual reunion at Canton. Dr. J. E. Hartzler 04, of Hartford, Connecticut, gave the principal address, on "Present Needs in Education." Other alumni spoke briefly. Dr. H. G. Good of Columbus, Ohio, gave a brief account of his attendance at the Goshen College Commencement in June of this year on the thirtieth anniversary of his graduation from the College. He expressed his surprise and satisfaction at the growth and development of the College during the past thirty years, pledged his loyal support to the institution and invited alumni, old and young, to do the same. Over three hundred alumni were present for the luncheon and program. Mahlon Krabill 22, regional director for the Stark County area, was president of the reunion and had charge of the meeting. Other alumni who were present included Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Meyer 16 (Esther A. Steiner 21) of Cleveland, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Royer 00, of Orrville, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Zook 02 (Lena Landis 03), Bert Smith 15, and Mr. and Mrs. Stanford Mumaw x31 (Lavina E. Hilty x29).

WEDDING BELLS

Delmer Yoder 37, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Yoder of Sugarcreek, Ohio, and Orvilla Weaver, daughter of Mrs. William L. Miller, were united in marriage on April 3 at the home of Bishop O. N. Johns, the officiating minister. Mr. Yoder taught in the Clark Township, Holmes County, Ohio, Schools during the past year. Mr. and Mrs. Yoder are at home near Sugarcreek, Ohio.

On June 14, 1938, Emmet W. Yoder of West Liberty, Ohio, and Katie M. Yoder of Kalona, Iowa, were united in marriage at the home of the officiating minister, Bishop D. J. Fisher. Mr. Yoder is the father of Leona B. Yoder 35 and the bride was formerly matron of Kulp Hall. Mr. Yoder is a prosperous farmer of Champaign County, Ohio, and the couple reside on his farm three miles southwest of West Liberty.

On Sunday, June 19, Delvin Gerber, who attended the Winter Bible Term during the past winter and Esther M. Summer, both members of the Kidron, Ohio, Mennonite Congregation, were united in marriage at the home of Allen Bixler the officiating minister. Mr. Gerber is employed at Kidron, Ohio.

On June 24, Orus Nelson Jessup, x36, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jessup of Goshen, and Dorothy L. Morris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Morris of Sabina, Ohio, were united in marriage at the Sabina Methodist Episcopal Church, the Reverend A. D. Hook, assisted by the Reverend B. B. Wright, officiating. Mrs. Jessup was graduated from Wittenburg College and for the past two years has taught dramatics and English at the Madison Township High School, Trotwood, Ohio. Mr. Jessup attended Goshen College for three years and graduated from Defiance College, Ohio, in 1936. For the past two years, he has taught in Trotwood, Ohio.

David S. Miller x37, son of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Miller of Millersburg, Ohio, R. R. 4, and Elsie Mast 35, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Mast of Star Route, Millersburg, Ohio, were united in marriage on July 17, at the Martins Creek Church near Millersburg, Ohio, Bishop O. N. Johns officiating. Mrs. Miller has been teaching in the Berlin Township Schools in Holmes County for the past four years. Mr. and Mrs. Miller will reside near Millersburg, Ohio, where Mr. Miller is operating a farm on a partnership basis with his father.

On July 25, David Castillo, superintendent of the Mennonite Mexican Mission in Chicago, Illinois, and Elsa Shank 34, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shank 10 (Emma Hershey 09), of Pehuajo, Argentina, were united in marriage at the home of the officiating minister, Bishop Sanford C. Yoder, president of Goshen College. Mrs. Castillo has spent the past three years in mission work in South America. Mr. and Mrs. Castillo will make their home in Chicago, where both will engage in missionary work among the Spanish-speaking Mexicans.

Lyle E. Yost 37, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Yost of Hesston, Kansas, and Erma Martin 37, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben E. Martin of Minot, North Dakota, were united in marriage on Sunday, July 31, at the bride's home in the presence of the immediate families of the bride and groom, E. M. Yost of Greensburg, Kansas, uncle of the groom officiating. Mrs. Yost taught English in the Smithville, Ohio High School

during the past year and Mr. Yost has been in business with his father. Mr. and Mrs. Yost are at home in Hesston, Kansas.

Dwight L. Miller 13, of Fentress, Virginia, and Mrs. Virginia Peabworth, of Norfolk, Virginia, were united in marriage in Norfolk, Virginia, on August 3, pastor of the Baptist church in Norfolk officiating. After the wedding Mr. and Mrs. Miller, accompanied by Mrs. Miller's thirteen-year-old daughter made a motor trip through Canada, the Adirondacks, Yellow Stone National Park and the Grand Canyon in a house trailer. Mr. Miller is a merchant in Fentress.

On Sunday, August 7, Harold D. Berkey x37, son of Reverend and Mrs. Foster Berkey of West Goshen and Helen F. Cripe, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Perry S. Cripe of 401 West Avenue, were united in marriage in the West Goshen Church of the Brethren, the Reverend Mr. Berkey, father of the groom, reading the service. After the ceremony, the young couple left on a week's trip to Washington, D. C., and other eastern points. The bride is employed as secretary to the superintendent of utilities at the City Light and Water Plant. She graduated from Goshen High School and attended Manchester College. The groom graduated from Goshen High School, attended Goshen College for one year, graduated from the elementary Teacher Training course at Manchester College in 1935 and is teaching in the Benton Township schools.

On Saturday evening, August 27, Maurice LeVon Weldy x39, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Weldy of Wakarusa and Anna Irene Grabill x39, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Grabill of 103 Gra-Roy Drive, Goshen, were united in marriage at the home of Virgil Weaver, of Elkhart, the officiating minister. The bride graduated from Goshen High School in 1934 and attended Goshen College for two years. Mr. Weldy graduated from Wakarusa High School in 1933 and attended Goshen College for a year. He is now a student of veterinary medicine at Michigan State College, East Lansing, Michigan. Following the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Weldy took a motor trip through the East. Mr. Weldy will continue his study at Michigan State.

Milford Byler, son of Mrs. Sadie Byler, of West Liberty, Ohio, Route 1, and Lorene Yoder 36, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Schrock, of Smithville, Ohio, were united in marriage on August 28, in the Oak Grove Church in Wayne County, C. Z. Yoder officiating. Mr. Byler is employed at the International Harvester Company at Springfield, Ohio. Mrs. Byler has been teaching in the public schools of Wayne County, Ohio, since her completion of the elementary teacher training course at Goshen College in 1936. Mr. and Mrs. Byler will reside three miles northwest of West Liberty, Ohio. Mr. Byler is a brother of Mark Byler, the husband of Mrs. Byler's sister, Norma.

On Sunday, August 28, Charles Gardner 36, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Gardner 08, of Middlebury, and Oneta Kolb, of Elkhart, daughter of Henry Kolb of Middlebury were united in marriage in the Silver Street Church, east of Goshen, the Reverend Allen Yoder, performing the ceremony. Mr. Gardner has been teaching in the public schools of Elkhart County since completing the elementary teacher training course in 1936. He will be grade principal of the Juday School in Benton Township this coming year.

On Saturday, September 3, Thelma A. Hostetler 37, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Hostetler of Goshen, became the bride of Harold A. Schrock 37, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur E. Schrock, of 623 South Sixth Street, Goshen. In a wedding ceremony in the First English Lutheran Church, the Reverend Paul M. Brosey, pastor of the church performed the marriage ritual in the presence of one hundred and fifty guests. Following the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Schrock left for a two-weeks' motor trip in the southern states. For the past year Mrs. Schrock has been employed in the office of the Star Tank and Boat Company, in which Mr. Schrock is associated in business with his father. Both Mr. and Mrs. Schrock graduated from Goshen College, and Mr. Schrock attended Notre Dame University. Alumni from a distance in attendance at the wedding included Esther Graber 37, Sterling, Ohio, and Mrs. J. C. Brunk 10 and daughter, Barbara, of Chesterton, Indiana.

The marriage of Janet Miller x36, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Miller, of 605 South Sixth Street to William Stuckman x34, son of Mrs. Harley Stuckman, of New Paris, and of the late Reverend Harley Stuckman, has been announced for September 25. Miss Miller is employed in the First National Bank of Goshen. She has been active in Sunday school work at the First Presbyterian Church. Mr. Stuckman is employed at the Edward Fiedeke Company Store on South Main Street.

On Sunday, September 4, Charles Haarer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Haarer, of Howe, Indiana, and Gladys Witmer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Witmer, of Leo, Indiana, were united in marriage at the Leo Church, A. S. Miller, pastor of the congregation, officiating. Mrs. Haarer attended the Winter Bible Term at Goshen College in 1937. Mr. Haarer is employed in the knitting mills at Howe, where the young couple will reside.

Gladys Blosser x41, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Blosser of Middlebury, became the bride of Floyd Brandeberry, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Brandeberry of Middlebury on August 4. The ceremony was performed at the home of Clarence Shank, the officiating minister. Brother Shank is assistant pastor of the Olive congregation, south of Elkhart. The bride attended Goshen College during the past year. Mr. Brandeberry is employed in the Eddy Paper Mills at Pigeon, Michigan. Mr. and Mrs. Brandeberry are at home in Middlebury.

On September 8, Lorne Schmidt, a minister in the Mannheim Mennonite Church near Kitchener, Ontario, and Ida Friesen 36, R.N., daughter of Bishop and Mrs. P. A. Friesen (Florence Coopridge 10) of Drug, India, were united in marriage at the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Reiff in Elkhart, Bishop Sanford C. Yoder, president of the College officiating. Since her graduation from Goshen College, Mrs. Schmidt has been employed as a nurse in the Elkhart City Hospital and also in private service. Brother Schmidt is a foreman in a lumber and coal yard at Kitchener, Ontario, where the young couple will reside.

On Thursday, September 1, Willard Guengerich, son of Joel Guengerich of Wellman, Iowa and Verna Enns 33, of La Junta, Colorado, were united in marriage in the Holbrook Mennonite Church near Cheraw, Colorado, Bishop Sanford C. Yoder, president of Goshen College, uncle of the groom, officiating. Mrs. Guengerich teaches commercial subjects in Hesston

College. Mr. Guengerich did one year of Bible study after graduating from Hesston Academy. He is employed in Hesston, Kansas, where the young couple will reside.

On Saturday, September 9, at a delightful afternoon tea given at their home at 1420 South Eighth Street, by Mrs. Mary Burkhard (Mary Yoder x01) and Anna E. Yoder 12 for the women of the College community the approaching marriage of Miss Lydia Shenk 31 was announced. She is to become the bride of Charles L. Shank 14, of North Canton, Ohio, in February, 1939.

NECROLOGY

Maria, daughter of Louis and Mary Powell, was born November 11, 1857, near Harrisonburg, Virginia; died in Detroit, Michigan, June 17, 1938. On October 30, 1881, she was united in marriage to Perry E. Brunk by Bishop George Brenneman. She was a member of the Pike Mennonite Church near Elida, Ohio, where her husband was a deacon and later a minister. Mrs. Brunk was the mother of two daughters and seven sons: Etta, wife of Edward Stutzman x03 of Elkhart, Indiana; Elizabeth, wife of Glenn Brenneman of Lafountain, Indiana; George, of Lima, Ohio; Dr. Lewis Brunk 15 of Lima; Andrew, Henry, Dr. Clifford Brunk 15, Dr. Walter Brunk 21, and Lloyd of Detroit, Michigan. Funeral services at the Pike Church were in charge of Bishop Ben B. King, assisted by Otho B. Shenk. Interment was in the Pike Cemetery.

Amos S., son of Benjamin and Elizabeth Dell Cripe, was born in 1856; died at his residence on South Eighth Street, Goshen, on July 20. In 1877, he was married to Rebecca Nussbaum. His first wife died about fifteen years ago and in 1928 he was married to Mrs. Sarah E. Graybill of Goshen, mother of several Goshen College alumni. He was ordained to the ministry over fifty years ago at the Shore Mennonite Church and for the past ten years has served as minister of the Clinton Brick Mennonite Church.

Peter Unzicker was born in Hamilton County, Ohio, January 23, 1859; died at Manitou Springs, Colorado, on July 17. He grew to manhood in Livingston County, Illinois. At the age of twenty he was converted under the preaching of John S. Coffman. At the age of twenty-two he was ordained to the ministry and ten years later became pastor of the congregation at Cullom, Illinois. The failure of his wife's health in 1905 made residence in a milder climate necessary. For several years they lived at Lake Charles, Louisiana and afterward at Tuleta, Texas. Here in 1909, his wife, the former Martha Graber, whom he had married in 1880, passed away. In 1910, he was married to Christina Beachy of Grantsville, Maryland. Since 1916, he has lived near Elkhart, Indiana. He was the father of five sons and two daughters, three of whom are alumni of the institution: Glenn G. x03, of Elkhart, Indiana; Samuel P. 15, of New York, and Ruth Verda (Mrs. Noble Himebaugh) x21, of Elkhart.

Emma K., daughter of Christian and Mary Hooley Kauffman, was born in Logan County, Ohio, on April 19, 1858; died at West Liberty, Ohio, on August 2, 1938. She united with the Oak Grove Mennonite Church sixty years ago, under the ministry of Bishop

John Warye. On January 20, 1880, she was married to Samuel L. Warye, with whom she lived until his death fifty-five years later, on December 1, 1934. They were the parents of two Goshen alumni, Maude 08, wife of Dr. Harry Good, of Columbus, Ohio, and John H., 17, of West Liberty. Burial was in the Oak Grove Cemetery.

Lizzie A. Hess, widow of the late Bishop Tillman M. Erb, was born near Ephrata, Pennsylvania, January 10, 1865; died at the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Wolf, of Akron, Pennsylvania, June 1, 1938. She was married to Tillman M. Erb, of Newton, Kansas, November 18, 1886. They were the parents of eleven children, of whom the following are alumni of Goshen College: Allen H. 10, superintendent of the Mennonite Hospital at La Junta, Colorado, and Tillman H. 27, instructor in a Denver, Colorado, High School.

Anna Schertz was born to Joseph and Anna Schertz, August 15, 1862; died July 15, 1938. On March 17, 1884, she became the wife of Peter D. Schertz, who preceded her in death ten years ago. They became the parents of eight children of whom the following are alumni of Goshen College: the late Anna Ellen 05, wife of L. C. Schertz 05, Peter x07, Arthur x11, and Raymond J. 22.

Emrill, daughter of Solomon T. and Mary Ellen Long, was born November 3, 1866, at Mount Morris, Illinois; died July 5, 1938, at South English, Iowa. On May 1, 1889, she was united in marriage to Justin P. Cook. They were the parents of five children of whom Cleo x31 (Mrs. Sharon Brunk) is an alumna of Goshen College.

Mabel Viola, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Eigsti 23 (Esther Hartzler x23) died August 11, at the age of thirteen years, two months, and twenty-two days. She spent her childhood days with her parents on a farm near Buda, Illinois. During a series of meetings in November, 1936, she accepted Christ as her Saviour and was received into church fellowship about one month later. She leaves her four grandparents, her parents, two brothers, and two sisters.

JUNIOR ALUMNI

Mr. and Mrs. Viveron Hoffman 31 of 312 East Jefferson Street, Goshen, are the parents of a daughter, Anita Rose, born June 27.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Eigsti of the College congregation are the parents of a daughter born July 1 at their home on South Eighth Street. Mrs. Eigsti was formerly Miss Frances Zook of West Liberty, Ohio.

Stanly Wallace, nine-pound son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe W. Swope 33 (Mary Hertzler x38) of Belleville, Pennsylvania, was born July 9.

Bonita Faye, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stahley Weaver (x27) of Goshen, was born August 10, at the Goshen Hospital.

PERSONAL

During the month of July President Sanford Calvin Yoder spent several weeks in Pennsylvania in the interest of the College. He stopped at Scottdale, Springs, Johnstown, Belleville, Lancaster, Orttanna, York, and several places in the Franconia district. Early in

August he visited La Junta, Colorado and Milford, Nebraska in the interest of the Mission Board. He also made a trip to Texas to consider plans regarding the development of the work among the Mexican people in that section and on his return trip he stopped at Cheraw, Colorado, where he officiated at the wedding of his nephew, Willard Guengerich and Verna Enns, 33. He will leave for Boston September 25 where he will attend the Gordon Divinity School the coming year in study for the degree of Doctor of Sacred Theology.

Immediately after Commencement, Dean Harold S. Bender traveled by airplane from Miami, Florida, to Rio de Janeiro and visited two German Mennonite colonies in southern Brazil. From that place, he flew to Asuncion and traveled inland to Chaco to visit the Mennonite settlements in Paraguay. Returning to Asuncion, he flew to Buenos Aires and spent a week or ten days visiting the various stations of the South American Mission. Returning to Buenos Aires, he flew across the continent to Chile and then to Miami, Florida by way of Lima, Peru, and Panama. The special object of his mission was to arrange for the funding of the debt owed by the Mennonite colonies to the Mennonite Central Committee and to the German government. Dean Bender did not feel well on his return but took an active part in the Young People's Institute, held at the College, August 17-21 and then gave a report of his trip to the conference, meeting in central Illinois. On his return, he developed a severe case of fever which the physicians finally diagnosed as typhoid. As we go to press, Dean Bender's condition is improving, but is still far from satisfactory. During his absence from the campus, details of registration and schedule planning become the burden of Miss Retha Hostetler, secretary to the Dean, and Dr. Paul Bender, registrar.

A series of articles entitled "With the Mennonites of South America" and written by Dean Harold S. Bender of the College has been appearing in recent issues of the *Gospel Herald*. The concluding number of the series appeared in the issue of September 8.

On August 28, Wilbur Hostetler 34 was ordained to the ministry to serve as a missionary in India under appointment of the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities. In the same service his wife was consecrated to serve in that field. Mrs. Hostetler formerly was Velma Lapp, daughter of Bishop D. G. Lapp, of Roseland, Nebraska, who had charge of the ordination service. Mr. and Mrs. Hostetler and their two children sail from New York on October 1 for their new field of service.

Ernest E. Miller 17 M.A. attended New York University during the past summer. Mr. Miller expects to complete the residence requirements for the Doctor's degree at New York University in June.

Orie O. Miller 15 spent several weeks in Europe during the past summer. Accompanied by Mrs. Miller (Elta Wolf 12) Mr. Miller visited England, France, Germany, Switzerland, and Italy. Mr. Miller made the trip on business for the Mennonite Central Committee and for the Relief Commission under the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities. As agent for the Mennonite Central Committee, he conferred with the German Government relative to the debt which South American colonists owe to the German government. He was also commissioned to receive the report of Levi Hartzler, who has been doing relief work in Spain. When Mr. Hartzler's report was returned to America by Mr. Miller, it was decided to continue relief work in Spain and to open mission work in that country as soon as it was deemed feasible. Mr. and

Mrs. Miller made the trip to Europe on the steamship, *Queen Mary*. They were accompanied on the trip through Switzerland and Italy by Mr. Hartzler.

Dr. M. C. Lehman gave a series of five talks on "Church Doctrine" in the Yellow Creek Church over the week-end of July 1-3. The same series was repeated at the North Nappanee Church over the week-end of July 22-24. On Monday evening, September 5, Dr. Lehman gave an address on the subject "Mennonitism, Whither Bound?" at the annual convention of Mennonite literary societies of Illinois in the chapel hall of Eureka College.

Mrs. J. D. Mininger (Hetty Kulp 00) of Kansas City, Missouri, visited her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mininger, at Shoup Cottage in August.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mininger x36 visited friends on the campus early in September. Mr. Mininger is a senior in Kansas State Medical College.

James J. Brenneman of Tofield, Alberta, spent the summer in residence at the University of Minnesota. Mr. Brenneman is a junior in Nebraska State Medical College at Des Moines, Iowa.

Bishop A. J. Steiner 00 was moderator of the twenty-sixth annual Sunday-school meeting held at the Plainview Church in Portage County, Ohio, on July 4, and his daughter-in-law, Mrs. David Steiner (Katie Smucker 30) was secretary.

Professor D. A. Lehman, Professor Emeritus of Mathematics at Goshen College, is the author of a series of articles on "Informal Astronomy" appearing currently in the *Christian Monitor*. The articles are interesting and written in Professor Lehman's usual sprightly, informal style.

John A. Lehman 29 of Hollsopple, Pennsylvania, was a member of the resolutions committee of the southwestern Pennsylvania conference held in the Blough Mennonite Church, August 11-12, 1938. Bro. Lehman was elected a delegate to the 1939 General Conference.

At the Ohio and Eastern Amish Mennonite Conference held at the Crown Hill Church, near Rittman, Ohio, May 25-27, Bishop A. J. Steiner 00 of North Lima, was elected moderator and Bishop O. N. Johns x07 of Canton, Ohio, secretary. Stanford Mumaw x31 of Dalton, Ohio, was elected a member of the Ohio State Mission Board and Bishop A. J. Steiner, member of the Mennonite Board of Education for four years.

Professor and Mrs. Isaac C. Keller and children, Beatrice, Maryann, and Charles of California, Pennsylvania, were the guests of Mrs. Keller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Piatt, of South Fifth Street, during the latter part of August.

Professor D. S. Gerig of South Eighth Street, spent several days with relatives at Smithville, Ohio, in August. He also visited his son and daughter-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. Daniel S. Gerig, Jr., x26 at Washington, D. C.

Merle D. Hartzler 33 has accepted a position in industrial arts and science in the Carmel, Indiana, High School. He attended Ball State Teachers College at Muncie last year.

Louella M. Baer x30 is now Mrs. Dennis Short, Archbold, Ohio, R. R. 2. They have three children, Edward 7, Loueen Kathryn 4, and Paul Lamar, 5 weeks. Mr. Short is employed in the Archbold Ladder Factory.

The address of Mr. and Mrs. Elam Zimmerly x31 (Ethel Sinclair x29) is Orrville, Ohio, R. R. 1.

Ruth Brunk 31 has accepted a position as instructor in English and art in the Churubusco High School, Churubusco, Indiana. She will also be coach of debate.

Lloyd Hostetler 35 of Goshen is employed as teacher of social science and history in the high school at Scott Center, east of Angola, Indiana. He will also be athletic coach.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brunk 15 (Alice M. Yoder x13) and family have returned to Goshen after an absence of fourteen months. They wintered at Redonda Beach, California, where their son, Milton, graduated from high school. The family traveled in a Trotwood house trailer, visiting the northern parks on the trip west and the southern parks on their return.

Mr. Orrin Beechy 33 of Berlin, Ohio, who has been teaching in the rural schools of Holmes County for the past several years, has been elected to a high school position at Midvale, Ohio.

The Reverend and Mrs. Russel Schnell 38 (Helen Yoder x31) sailed for Africa on September 20. They returned for their second term as missionaries for the Congo Inland Mission Board. Reverend Schnell completed the course leading to the Bachelor of Arts degree at Goshen College in June, in preparation for work in Africa in translating the Bible into the vernacular. A farewell service was held for them in the Eighth Street Mennonite Church on Sunday evening, September 11. The Reverend I. R. Detweiler 01 of Normal, Illinois, former pastor of the Eighth Street Mennonite Church, delivered the main address at the conference farewell.

The Reverend Lester Hostetler 15 of Upland, California, spent the fruit harvest season in his orchards near Sugarcreek, Ohio. He attended the Ohio Mennonite Sunday School Conference at Martins Creek Church in August and shook hands with a number of his former friends and co-workers.

Mamie Lehman, student in the early days of the institution is now Mrs. Arthur Dixon and her address is Canton, Ohio, R. R. 4. In August, she visited Mrs. Clarence Lehman (Bertha Christophel) of Goshen, R. R. 3, who was also one of the early students of Goshen College.

Leon Greenawalt x35 of Goshen, who had a part-time position teaching biology in the Goshen City High School last year, now has a full time position teaching English and biology.

Madelyn Walter 36, teacher of English in the Lagrange High School last year, has accepted a better position as teacher of English in the Huntington, Indiana, High School for the coming year.

Wilma Miller 37, who taught a grade school in Illinois last year, has been elected teacher of the third grade in the Archbold, Ohio, schools.

Mae Rohrer 37, teacher of the grade school near the Crown Hill Church in Wayne County last year, has accepted a position as teacher of the first grade in the Sterling, Ohio, schools.

Sidney Plaut x29 has been elected chairman of the Board of Directors of the Goshen Merchants' Council.

The address of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Miller 37 (Frances Hepfer 35) is now Leaf River, Illinois.

Bishop Anson Horner x16 served as principal of the first summer Bible school held in the Howard-Miami congregation near Kokomo, Indiana, June 12-24.

At the fourteenth annual Weldy family reunion held in the high school gymnasium in New Paris, Samuel

H. Weldy 23, of Goshen was chosen president. Mrs. Weldy was elected secretary-treasurer.

At the annual Mennonite Conference of Ontario held at Clarence Center, New York, June 1-2, Jesse B. Martin x26 gave the report of the Bible School Board, of the Home Evangelist, of the Young People's Committee, and of the secretary of the Bible school. He was re-elected a member of the faculty of the Ontario Mennonite Bible School held annually in Kitchener. J. C. Fretz 30 gave the report of the Educational Problems Committee. Jesse B. Martin was elected assistant moderator.

The eastern division of the Goshen College Alumni Association held its annual picnic luncheon at Williamson Park in Lancaster, Pennsylvania, Saturday noon, August 6.

Dr. Edward Yoder, who has been professor of ancient languages at Goshen College during the past five years has resigned his position at the College to accept a position in the Mennonite Publishing House at Scottdale, Pennsylvania. Dr. and Mrs. Yoder have moved to Scottdale. Dr. Yoder is editor of the Advanced Mennonite Sunday School Quarterly and will also have other editorial duties in connection with the publications of the Publishing House.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Bachman 38 (Elsie Springer 26) and their son, David, who have lived in Goshen while Mr. Bachman was completing his work for the degree Bachelor of Theology have returned to Morton, Illinois, their former home, where he will be assistant pastor of the Pleasant View Church south of Morton.

Josephine Wion Zook, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Zook 02 (Lena Landis 03) of 807 North Howard Street, Akron, Ohio, was graduated from the University of Akron on Tuesday evening, June 14, with the degree Bachelor of Science in Secretarial Science. Miss Zook is enrolled in Akron University to prepare as a teacher of commercial subjects.

The July NEWS-LETTER incorrectly gave the location of Miss Anna Autenrieth as Mercy Hospital, Chicago. The item should have stated that she is employed in the Wesley Memorial Hospital, 2449 South Dearborn Street, Chicago.

Joe Eckstadt 30 who has been in the West for a number of months has returned to Goshen. His address is 211 West Purl Street.

Dorothy Reed 38 of New Paris is teaching the Best School in Scott Township, Kosciusko County, southeast of Nappanee.

Early in August, Mr. and Mrs. William Haarer 13 and four sons, Paul, David, William, and Samuel, of Shipshewana, Indiana, visited their daughter and sister, Corona Haarer x39, who is employed at the Mennonite Publishing House.

Roy Umble 35 was granted the Master of Arts degree by the Northwestern University School of Speech in August. His major was Public Speaking and his minor Literary Interpretation. Mr. Umble has resigned his position as instructor in speech at the South Bend High School to accept a position as lecturer and coach of debate at the University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. The rank of lecturer at the University of Pittsburgh is above that of instructor and immediately below the rank of assistant professor. Mr. Umble's offices will be located on the sixteenth floor of the celebrated Cathedral of Learning in the University of Pittsburgh. He has been employed for one year to take the place of Mr. Alan Lomas, an instructor in the department, who is

absent on leave to complete the work for the Doctorate at Northwestern University School of Speech. Mr. and Mrs. Umble (Ferne Smith 35) reside at 6310 Wilkins in the Squirrel Hill district.

Seven Goshen College alumni attended the University of Michigan during the past summer: Jacob Sudermann 32 will complete residence requirements for the Ph.D. in German next June; Justina Enss 37 of Spencerville, Ohio, was enrolled in courses in designing and is continuing her work in art; Robert Welty, x35, of Elkhart, took courses in band directing; Angelina E. McPhail 36 continued her study in English; Jane Dinehart x38 continues her work in home economics; John E. Coffman 34 was enrolled in courses in library science; Paul E. Mininger audited courses in higher education, the field in which he is writing his Doctor's thesis.

Dorothy June Mast 38, who planned to return to Goshen College for her junior year in September, received a last minute appointment as a rural school teacher in Holmes County, Ohio, near Millersburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Miller 32 (Ferne Miller x35) who had been located at Andes, New York, for the past year, have returned to Holmes County, Ohio. Mr. Miller has resigned his position as superintendent of the Andes, New York, schools and has accepted a position as teacher of science in the Berlin, Ohio, High School.

Angeline E. McPhail 30 of Constantine, Michigan, won second prize of twenty-five dollars in the annual Avery Hopwood poetry contest at the University of Michigan, where she was attending the summer session. Miss McPhail has resigned her instructorship in English in the high school at Columbiaville, La Peere County, Michigan, to accept a position as librarian and instructor in English at a larger high school north of Detroit near Royal Oak.

Mary x37 and Martha Eimen x37 have been employed in domestic service in Reading, Pennsylvania for the past year. Their address is 704 North Twelfth Street, Reading, Pennsylvania.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Stoltzfus 22 have moved to Rittman, Ohio, where Mr. Stoltzfus is employed to teach Industrial Arts in the public schools.

In the July tests for the Champaign-Logan-Miami County Dairy Herd Improvement Association, the high producing cow in butterfat production was a Holstein owned by John L. Yoder x11, of West Liberty, Ohio, with 80.6 pounds, and another cow in the Yoder herd, produced 68 pounds of butterfat. These two cows also stood first and second in milk production with 2,000 and 1,832. In milk production the 25-cow Holstein herd of Deacon Eli D. Yoder x03 stood first with an average of 917 pounds of milk. The Eli D. Yoder herd is in charge of Philip Yoder x38.

Milton B. Brenneman x17, teacher of physics in the Davenport, Iowa, High School attended the Colloquium for College Physicists at the University of Iowa in June. Dr. Paul Bender, registrar of the College, met him there.

Daniel Kauffman, former president of the College and now editor of the **Gospel Herald**, at Scottsdale, Pennsylvania, has written an interesting series of articles entitled "Forty-eight Years in the Mennonite Church," which have been appearing in recent issues of the **Gospel Herald**. The concluding number of the series is to appear in the issue of October 15.

Mr. and Mrs. Amasa H. Kauffman 29, missionaries to the Mexicans in Texas, will be located at Tuleta, Texas, during this coming school year.

Lester Hershey 36 has been appointed a relief worker to assist Levi Hartzler in Spain and will sail as soon as the necessary arrangements can be made. Levi Hartzler is at present in London completing arrangements for his return to Spain and continuation of relief activities. It has been decided to establish a separate Mennonite relief unit instead of co-operating with the Friends relief unit as was done during last year.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Brunk 12, returned missionaries from India, write from Didsbury, Alberta, Canada, under date of August 25, that they have been visiting relatives and churches in Canada. On August 29, they left for Versailles, Missouri. They intend to stop at Goshen during the latter part of October en route from Missouri to Virginia.

Grace Mast 32 of South Ninth Street, Goshen, attended Columbia University for a six-weeks' period during the past summer.

Mrs. Nellie Kutruff (Nellie Yoder x14) and daughter, Josephine, of Blythe, California, visited friends in Goshen, Indiana, and West Liberty, Ohio, in August, and also attended the Ohio Mennonite Sunday School Conference at Martins Creek Church near Millersburg, Ohio.

ArLOWENE Luke, president of the Winsome 4-H Club of Middlebury, Indiana, won clothing judging honors over twenty-two entrants by securing 587 points of the possible 600 in a contest held at Goshen during August. This 4-H club is led by Elda Hostetler 37 who began her work as Smith-Hughes instructor in home economics in Middlebury High School a year ago.

The following alumni appeared on the program of the Indiana-Michigan Mennonite Sunday School Conference, held with the Holdeman Congregation, August 9-11, near Wakarusa, Indiana: Virgil Weaver 35, Dr. M. C. Lehman 04, R. R. Smucker 28, Paul Mininger 35, Samuel S. Miller 32, and Ira Johns x01. Bishop Anson Horner (x18) was moderator. Edward F. Martin x09 is treasurer of the Executive Committee. Amos O. Hostetler x25 is secretary. Homer F. North x15 of Nappanee and Bishop Tobe E. Schrock x35 are additional members of the Executive Committee.

Professor A. L. Sprunger 22 spent the summer studying at the Art Institute in Chicago.

First impressions of a mission worker entering on a new sphere of activity are always interesting. This is especially true of the letter written by Raymond Yoder 38, newly elected superintendent of the Mennonite Home Mission in Chicago. He gives these first impressions in a letter written to the **Gospel Herald** under date of August 6.

The 124th quarterly mission meeting of the Mennonite Churches of Logan and Champaign Counties, Ohio, was held at the Oak Grove Church, south of West Liberty on August 21. Alumni and students who took part in the program were Margery Yoder 38, and Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Brenneman 38 (Rowena Stalter x40). LeRoy Hostetler 29 was moderator and Raymond Troyer 36 was chorister.

Robert Shank 35, whose business address is 180 Varick Street, New York City, New York, spent his vacation with friends in Goshen early in September. Mr. Shank continues to enjoy his work as a member of the technical staff of the Bell Telephone Laboratories at the above address.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Hauder 08 (Wilma Smoker 10) and their daughter, Roberta, of South Main Street, enjoyed a two weeks' motor trip through the Canadian Rockies, Vancouver, Seattle and Portland, in August.

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PROGRESS OF THE ALUMNI DIVISION OF THE GOSHEN COLLEGE ACCREDITMENT PLAN

On Monday evening, October 17, the Director of the Alumni Division of the Goshen College Accreditation Plan gave his annual report to the Administrative officials of Goshen College and the Executive Committee of the Alumni Association who act jointly as supervisors and advisers of the Alumni Division. Members present were: C. L. Graber, Business Manager; Dean Harold S. Bender; Dr. Paul Bender; C. P. Martin, Professor Walter E. Yoder, Dr. Silas Hertzler, and Dr. S. W. Witmer. The Director's statement covered the financial report for the past year, the procedures employed in the 1937-38 campaign, and plans for the coming year.

Contributions by States

Analysis of receipts for 1937-38 by states, giving the number of contributors and the amounts contributed, may be of interest. The list follows:

(Contributions made by the members of the faculty of Goshen College which total \$724.00 are included in the Indiana figures)

Indiana	\$1254.00	Africa	\$ 10.00
Ohio	847.70	Arizona	10.00
Illinois	343.30	Delaware	10.00
Pennsylvania	279.50	Massachusetts	10.00
Iowa	100.00	Minnesota	10.00
Colorado	67.00	Virginia	10.00
India	65.00	Tennessee	8.50
Texas	60.00	England	5.00
Michigan	50.00	Missouri	5.00
New Jersey	50.00	New York	2.00
Kansas	40.00	Oklahoma	2.00
Maryland	37.00	Washington	2.00
Ontario	30.00	New Mexico	1.00
South America	20.00	California	1.00

An encouraging feature of the past year's business is the number and amount of pledges made by the Class of 1938. Fifty-four members of the class have indicated their intention to become regular contributors to the alumni fund.

Financial Report

The Director's report for the year, September 1, 1937, to September 1, 1938, showed that alumni had contributed \$3340.20 to the current expense fund of Goshen College. The number of donors this year was 356. Of those who contributed to the Alumni Division in 1936-37, 206 failed to repeat in 1937-38, and the number of new contributors who had not made a donation in 1936-37 was 136. The total number contributing in 1937-38 was 356 and the total number con-

tributing in 1936-37 was 429. The total amount contributed from September 1, 1936, to September 1, 1937, was \$3877.00. This means that both the number of contributors and the amount contributed in 1937-38 were less than in 1936-37.

The decrease seems to be due chiefly to the delay of some of those who made regular pledges to make payment before September 1. During the first year of the campaign, the year began about January 1, and a number of alumni plan to pay their pledges of the preceding year between September 1 and December 1. The report, therefore, does not really show a decrease in contributions for the second year. It merely indicates that some of the regular contributors have not yet made their second contribution. Since the fiscal year of Goshen College closes on September 1, it seems wise to close the books of the Alumni Division of the Goshen College Accreditation Plan, also on that date.

Plans and Objectives for 1938-39

The combined committees spent considerable time in discussing the various features of the Alumni Division in its relation to the larger program of the Goshen College Accreditation Plan which looks toward membership in the North Central Association by 1940. The present budget of Goshen College shows that an amount equal to the one contributed by alumni during the past two years is needed for meeting expenses already set up in the College budget.

An additional service to students which is needed for entrance into the North Central Association and which the college budget is not able to provide is a health unit which must be included in the College program during the next year. This will cost approximately \$1500. The \$1500 includes \$500 for the services of a part-time physician, \$500 for nurse hire, and \$500 for the equipping of an infirmary or hospital unit.

Another urgent need is increasing the library holdings of the College. The library should be built up to 20,000 volumes by the time application for entrance into the North Central Association is made in 1940. This will require an expenditure of approximately \$2500.00 a year.

One other phase of the College equipment which should be built up as speedily as possible is laboratory equipment. A careful survey of the situation reveals that if these necessary improvements are to be made, it is imperative that it be done with funds in addition to those already in sight for next year. In other words, these are specific objectives which cannot be met without help from outside sources.

Debt Reduction Program

Contributions being received from the various Mennonite congregations and other sources of income available to the College cannot be used for the purpose and improvements mentioned above without seriously affecting the debt reduction program which is also of major importance if application for admission into the North Central Association is to be successful.

Appeal to alumni for funds during the coming year will therefore take this concrete form: additional funds to provide health service, books and laboratory equipment. In addition to the amount that alumni have been giving in the past two years for current expenses, we should receive an additional amount to provide for the new health service and substantial amounts for increasing the library holdings of the College and improving the laboratory equipment. A forthcoming Goshen College bulletin which will be mailed to alumni will explain these matters more in detail. This bulletin will give a comprehensive view of the progress that Goshen College has been making toward accreditation and the specific items in which Goshen College is still deficient.

Growth in College Income

The business manager favored the group with a comparative report of the non-educational income of the College for the past three years. This report is highly encouraging and shows that the donations to regular College operations have increased from \$4700 in 1935-36 to \$12,500 in 1937-38. Profit from auxiliary departments has risen during the same period from \$5800 to \$11,300. The large increase in profit from auxiliary departments in 1937-38 was largely due to the increased revenue from the dormitories which for the first time since their construction were almost filled with students.

A tone of optimism prevailed in the meeting. Each one present felt that the alumni who contributed during the first year of the campaign and failed to do so during the second would still send in their contributions for the second year. Another encouraging feature was the support of the Class of 1938, whose contributions will make a substantial increase in the contributions over those of 1937-38.

WINTER BIBLE SCHOOL ANNOUNCEMENT

The dates for the Winter Bible School are set for January 2 to February 10, 1939. Professor Burkhart, secretary of the school, reports that inquiries to date point to a good enrollment. In 1935, the enrollment was thirty-two. Each year since that time, the enrollment showed an increase: fifty in 1936, seventy-four in 1937, and eighty-nine last year. The goal for this year's attendance has been set at one hundred.

Among the most encouraging features of last year's course were the following: a larger number of second and third year students attended than ever before, adding stability to the class work; a larger number of students who held offices in church and Sunday school attended than other years, strengthening the spirit of purposefulness among the students.

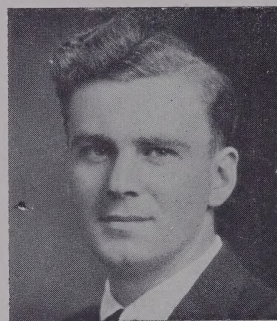
The growth of the work has made it necessary to consider the appointment of an additional full-time teacher. Those who will give full time service this winter will be Bishop D. A. Yoder x08, of Elkhart, who will serve as principal; I. W. Royer 00, of Orrville, Ohio; and I. E. Burkhart 26, of the College. A number of the regular College instructors will also give one course each.

H. CLAIRE AMSTUTZ AN INTERNE AT UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL

H. Claire Amstutz 33 completed his medical course at Indiana State Medical College in June of this year and is an interne at University Hospital, Indianapolis. Indiana Medical has a ruling which automatically gives an internship in the University Hospital to the ten men with the highest standing in the graduating class. Dr. Amstutz was one of these ten in the Class of 1938. His class rank also automatically gives him a membership in the national honorary medical society.

Dr. Amstutz entered Goshen College as a freshman in September, 1929. He came from the Sonnenberg Swiss Mennonite Community in Wayne County. During his undergraduate years he was captain of the varsity debate team, member of the Foreign Volunteer Band, president of the Christian Workers' Band, member of the Y Cabinet, editor of the Maple Leaf (1933) and student assistant in zoology (1932-33).

He was graduated from Goshen College with the B.A. degree in 1933 and entered Indiana Medical College at Bloomington in September.



H. Claire Amstutz

After completing one year of the course, he was invited to become interim instructor in biology at Goshen College for the year 1934-35 to allow Dr. S. W. Witmer to complete his work for the doctorate at Indiana University. His quiet, genial, but dignified manner and his thoroughness as an instructor made him a respected and popular member of the faculty.

In September, 1935, Dr. Amstutz continued his work in Indiana Medical College at Indianapolis and completed his work with honors in June, 1938.

In the summer of 1934, Dr. Amstutz was married to Miss Florence Badetscher, x36, a registered nurse whose childhood home had also been in the Sonnenberg community. The marriage marked the culmination of a romance which reached back to the childhood years of the young couple. They are the parents of one child. Mrs. Amstutz was registered as a junior during the year of their residence in Goshen. Dr. and Mrs. Amstutz reside at 1718½ Hall Place, Indianapolis.

DR. ROBERT BENDER LOCATES IN MIDDLEBURY

Dr. and Mrs. Robert L. Bender 32 (Carolyn Lehman 34) have taken up their residence in the remodelled and redecorated dwelling at the corner of South Main and Lawrence Streets in Middlebury, Indiana. In the same building on September 10, Dr. Bender opened an office for the general practice of medicine as a physician and surgeon. Dr. and Mrs. Bender are members of the College Mennonite Congregation and gave talks in Assembly Hall on Sunday evening, October 23, Mrs. Bender speaking on "Every-Day Witnessing for Christ," and Dr. Bender on "The Christian Physician."

Dr. Bender seems to have chosen an excellent location for the practice of his profession and is already a busy young physician. During his undergraduate years at Goshen College, Dr. Bender was the youngest member of his class but was prominent in campus life and activities. He was business manager (1930-

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H. S. Bender

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31) and president (1931-32) of the Men's Chorus, associate editor (1930-31) and editor (1931-32) of the *Maple Leaf*, and took a prominent part in the religious, social, literary, and athletic organizations of the campus.

Dr. Bender is the youngest son of Mrs. Elsie Kolb Bender, of South Main Street, Goshen, and of the late Deacon George L. Bender. Mrs. Lehman is the youngest daughter of Dr. and Mrs. M. C. Lehman 04 (Lydia Liechty 05), of Goshen, former missionaries to India.

NORTH GOSHEN MENNONITE CONGREGATION

Paul Mininger 34, Pastor

The work of the North Goshen Mennonite Church has enjoyed a continuous growth throughout the past year. The present membership is forty-one, and there are a number of applicants. The attendance at Sunday school averages between 150-60.

Although the members at North Goshen are also considered members of the College congregation, the local membership there is accepting gradually more of the responsibilities for conducting the affairs of the church. A committee has recently been appointed to take care of the business administration of the church and they are contemplating the improvement of the basement so that it will be more convenient for the Sunday-school classes. Through offerings which have been taken in the Sunday morning service a fund of about \$125 is available for this work.

The students from the College are used as Sunday-school teachers and their interest and enthusiasm is deeply appreciated by all those who are members of the congregation. It is interesting to reflect upon the number of young people who have at one time worked at the North Goshen Mission and who are now engaged in active Christian work. Among them are Levi Hartzler 35, Wilbur Hostetler 30, Timothy Brennehan 38, Clarence Fretz 38, Raymond Yoder 38, Selena Gamber 33, Harriet Lapp 37, Vesta Nafziger 38, Menno Miller 33, and Lester Hershey 36.

The congregation is looking forward to a series of meetings this fall under the direction of Brother William Detweiler of Orrville, Ohio. This is another time in which students are given an opportunity to participate actively in evangelistic work. Those who are working there at the present time realize that they are reaping the results of others' labors and they covet the continued interest and prayers of the many alumni who have shared in this work in the past.

A NEW MENNONITE RELIEF UNIT IN SPAIN

About a year ago, the Mennonite Relief Commission, under the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities, was organizing relief work to be conducted in Spain. The personnel of this first unit consisted of D. Parke Lantz, returned missionary from South America, and Levi C. Hartzler 35 who had been acting superintendent of the Mennonite Mission in Chicago. During the past year, these relief workers had labored in co-operation with the American Friends Relief Unit.

The amount spent for relief, according to Mr. Hartzler's financial statement of the Mennonite Relief Mission of Spain, for the period beginning November, 1937, and ending August, 1938, was: total amount of cash received, \$14,674.20. Of this amount \$14,424.20 was expended for Spanish Relief and on August 1, there was a balance in London of \$250. Mr. Hartzler, writing from London, England, under date of August 23, gives an interesting account of his "Eight Months in Spain." This article appeared in the October 6 issue of the *Gospel Herald*.

The Mennonite Relief Commission has decided to organize a new independent Mennonite Unit. Mr. Hartzler will continue to have general charge of the work and will be assisted by Lester Hershey 36, of Pehuajo,



Clarence Fretz



Lester Hershey

Argentina, and Clarence Fretz 38, of Perkasio, Pennsylvania, who sailed for Spain on October 6, on the English liner, *Queen Mary*. They, with Mr. Hartzler, will compose the new Mennonite Relief Unit in Spain.

Mr. Hershey and Mr. Fretz were present at the regular quarterly meeting of the Eastern Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities, held at Mellinger's Church, Lancaster, Pennsylvania, on Wednesday, October 5. During this meeting, a brief consecration service was held for them. The budget set aside for Spanish relief by the Mennonite Relief Commission is \$15,000. It is hoped to raise these funds by free-will offerings to be held in the various Mennonite churches in November.

The unit will have two additional sources of funds. The American Red Cross is shipping fifty thousand barrels of flour per month to Spain and a proportional amount of this flour will be distributed by the Mennonite unit. Another source of funds comes from an English Relief Agency, supported by a grant from the British, Finnish, and other European governments. This relief agency does not support a separate relief organization but allocates its funds to existing units already doing relief work in Spain. The new Mennonite unit will receive its allocation of funds from the English agency.

The organization of this independent Mennonite Relief unit fills a need which many earnest workers of the Mennonite church have been interested in for many years. The work and proper support of such a

unit in peace time should be able to form the basis of non-combatant service during war-time.

MISSIONARIES SAIL FOR INDIA

On October 3, Dora M. Shantz 27, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Hostetler 30, (Velma Lapp 32) and family, and Vesta Nafziger 38 sailed for India, on the M. S. New Orleans, of the American Pioneer Line, New York City.

Miss Shantz after her graduation from Goshen College in 1927 completed the nurses training course at the Mennonite Hospital and Sanitarium at La Junta, Colorado. She has spent one term on the India Mission Field and is returning for a second period of service.

Mr. and Mrs. Hostetler have been engaged in teaching in the Government-supported American Indian school at Flandreau, South Dakota, for the past few years. Mr. Hostetler was ordained to the Christian ministry at Roseland, Nebraska, on August 24.

Until May, 1937, Miss Nafziger had been teaching in the elementary grades of the Pettisville, Ohio, schools, following her completion of the elementary teacher training course in 1932. She was graduated from the College in June with the degree, Bachelor of Science in Education with a major in biology and had intended to continue in some form of educational work. Although the call to service in India was as unexpected as it was unsought, Miss Nafziger is consecrating all her energy and devotion to her new task. Miss Nafziger was one of the sixty original Regional Directors of the Alumni Division of the Goshen College Accreditation Plan and did excellent work.

IMPROVED LIBRARY FACILITIES

As plans for the new Goshen College library building progress, the growth of the library and its efforts to meet new educational standards become more evident. Although the library now adds over a thousand books each year and has a total collection of approximately 16,000 volumes, this is not the only evidence of its growth. The library also receives over two hundred periodicals and newspapers, keeps an up-to-date file of pamphlets, and subscribes to several important indexing services. An effort is also being made to help students and others to make intelligent use of the library, and the staff is ready to render reference service at all times.

An evidence of the increased use of the library is the fact that a total of 5923 volumes were borrowed during the past school year, compared to a total of 3904 the year before and 1700 in 1935-1936. These totals do not include the large number of books borrowed from the reserve shelves for over-night use.

That the library has been able to increase its acquisitions and services is due to the increased budget. In the past year over \$1800 was spent for books, periodicals, binding and supplies. Besides this appropriation from the college budget, the library also received several very worth-while gifts from individuals and such organizations as the Peace Society and the Student's library association. Mrs. Ada Edmands of Goshen recently donated over 300 books to the library. For the present year the library receives an appropriation of \$2000 for its expenditures.

Eight students assist Miss Stella Kauffman, the librarian, and Mr. John Coffman, assistant librarian. These student assistants receive special instruction in library methods and occasional staff meetings are held for discussion of circulation and general library problems.

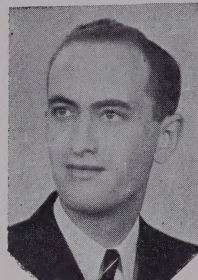
During the past year arrangements were made to co-operate with the Bethel College Library in compil-

ing a union catalog of the holdings of both libraries in Mennonite History. The Goshen College Library is fortunate in having as part of its collection, the Mennonite Historical Library, the largest collection of American Mennonite material in existence. Over five hundred volumes were recataloged and indexed in the past year.

Recently orders have gone out for a new Encyclopedia Britannica and a new sixty-tray catalog case. This new catalog will also be equipped with a set of 1000 celluloid guide cards to facilitate finding information in the file.

JOHN DUERKSEN, 37, PART-TIME INSTRUCTOR

Mr. John Paul Duerksen, of Kingman, Kansas, was graduated from the College in June, 1937, with majors in Bible and English. He took graduate work in Bible at Goshen College during the year 1937-38 and was graduated in June, 1938, with the degree, Bachelor of Theology. He is employed as proctor of Coffman Hall and part-time instructor in music and Bible. Mr. Duerksen is teaching courses in Old Testament history, elementary harmony, and elementary sight singing. He is also directing the collegiate chorus, a group of younger voices, which it was impossible to include in one of the regular college choruses. During the past summer, Mr. Duerksen assisted in conducting several vacation Bible schools: at Hopedale, Illinois; in the North Goshen Mennonite Church in Goshen; and in the Vineland Mennonite Church, in Ontario.



John Duerksen

GROWTH OF THE MUSIC DEPARTMENT

Professor Walter E. Yoder 33, head of the music department of Goshen College, reports a remarkable growth in the department for the current year. There are regular classes in theory, harmony, counterpoint, sight singing, and ear training. There is also a large class in public school music and another in the history and appreciation of music. Mr. John Duerksen 37 is assisting Professor Yoder in the department.

In applied music also the work is increasing rapidly. Ten voice students are studying with Professor Yoder. Professor Noble Kreider has a dozen piano students. This year, for the first time, four students are studying violin. Professor Pickett from Fort Wayne is the violin instructor.

Chorus work is progressing nicely. The A Cappella Chorus is composed of fifty-six voices. This chorus is working on the material to be presented at a Thanksgiving program to be given in connection with Home-Coming. The special number for that program is Bach's cantata "The Spirit also helpeth us." The collegiate chorus, a second group of forty-five voices in charge of Mr. Duerksen, is working on a Christmas cantata.

FACULTY ACTIVITIES

President Sanford Calvin Yoder is now enjoying the grant of a leave of absence for one year of study after fifteen years of active service as an administrative officer and teacher at Goshen College. He has been accepted as a candidate for the degree, Doctor of Sacred Theology, at the Gordon School of Theology and Missions in Boston, Massachusetts. His departure

was delayed until September 30 because of the storm along the New England coast. He will return to the campus a few days before Commencement, after the graduation exercises at the Seminary. President Yoder has submitted a paper on the "Migration of Mennonites as a Result of their Non-Resistant Doctrine during the World War," to the faculty of the Seminary as a possible subject for his doctoral dissertation. He has previously worked on this subject, and if it is now approved by the faculty, he will continue his research, re-write the material, and publish it in book form.

Orie O. Miller 15 continues to serve as chairman of the Administrative Committee of the College. He is also active in his other fields of service in the Church in addition to his business responsibilities. He serves as secretary of the Eastern Board of Missions and Charities, and as chairman of the Mennonite Relief Committee. In the latter capacity he has been responsible for the arrangements for the appointment of new workers for the Spanish Relief project which the committee is carrying on. As secretary of the Mennonite Central Committee he carries a large responsibility for the work of that organization in connection with the Mennonite colonies in South America.

Dean Harold S. Bender 18 has been slowly recovering from his recent illness and resumed his teaching at the College the first week in October, although he is not yet fully active in his other duties. On September 17, he attended a meeting of the Mennonite Relief Committee which is conducting relief work in Spain, at which time it was decided to continue the work through the coming winter with two new workers. On October 22, he attended the meeting of the Peace Problems Committee of the Mennonite General Conference of which he is chairman. The meeting was held at the College. C. L. Graber and Orie O. Miller are also members of the committee, Orie Miller being secretary.

D. A. Lehman, professor emeritus of mathematics and astronomy, and Dr. Paul Bender drove to Winona Tuesday afternoon, October 18, to meet Professor Anne S. Young, a niece of the late astronomer, Professor Young of Princeton, to negotiate for permission to use star-maps and notes from Professor Young's Booklet, "Uranography," in a booklet that is being written by Professor Lehman.

On October 2 and 16, C. L. Graber, business manager of the College, conducted Bible studies on the Book of Philippians, at the Yellow Creek Church, near Goshen. He spoke Sunday evening, October 30, at the Wanner Church, near Preston, Ontario, in connection with the dedication of the new church at that place.

I. E. Burkhart, field secretary of the College, served as one of the instructors in the Young People's Institute at Johnstown, Pennsylvania, July 11-24. Later in July and early in August, he visited the churches in Canada in the interests of the College. August 17-21, he served as director of the Young People's Institute held at Goshen College. Following this institute, he spent several weeks in Pennsylvania and delivered an address at the annual Burkhart reunion at Lititz, Pennsylvania. He filled preaching appointments at Elizabethtown, East Petersburg, Ephrata, Groffdale, and Kinzers, in Lancaster County. In the Franconia Conference, he preached at Deep Run, Doylestown, Souderton, Bally, Skippack, Vincent, Lansdale, Franconia, and Towamencin Churches. Since that time he has visited churches in New York, Western Ohio, and

Michigan in the interests of the College. On Sunday morning, October 23, he supplied the pulpit at the Chicago Home Mission and the following week he visited churches in central and northern Illinois in the interests of the College.

Dr. and Mrs. S. W. Witmer 15 (Sana Troyer 14) and their daughter Mildred, who was graduated from Goshen High School in June, enjoyed a several weeks' motor trip through the eastern states during the past summer.

Dr. Silas Hertzler attended the annual meeting of the North Central Indiana Teachers Association at South Bend on Thursday and Friday, October 27-28. He will also attend the annual meeting of the Indiana Academy of Science at Purdue University, on November 3, 4, 5.

Dr. Guy F. Hershberger spoke at the Howard-Miami Mennonite Church, near Kokomo, Indiana, on Sunday evening, October 16. His subject was "The Doctrine of Non-Resistance in the History of the Church." He led a discussion of the Mennonite General Conference Peace Statement at the same place on Sunday evening, October 23. Dr. Hershberger is writing a text book on peace for the Peace Problems Committee of the Mennonite General Conference.

Dr. Glen R. Miller attended a meeting of the Indiana Academy of Science held at Purdue University, on November 3-5.

Dr. Paul Bender attended the Institute of Administrative Officers of Higher Institutions at Chicago University, in July. He is now busy in his offices of registrar and personnel director.

Willard H. Smith 28 spent the early part of the summer in research work in the libraries of Washington, Philadelphia, New York, and Boston in preparation for his thesis. Mr. and Mrs. Smith took a trip through the New England States, Quebec, and the Adirondacks before returning home. Among the alumni they visited were: Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hershberger 23 (Dula Roth 29) and Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Correll of Washington, D. C.; Mr. and Mrs. Milton Smith 28 (Gertrude Bishop x32) at Philadelphia; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Musselman 29 (Ruth Miller 30) and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Roth 33 (Mary Musselman 33) at Orrtanna; and Mr. and Mrs. George Bishop x34 (Verna Smith 34), of Doylestown, Pa. They spent July 4 at Gettysburg. In August they attended the Illinois Mennonite Conference.

Dr. M. C. Lehman spoke to the Illinois Convention of Mennonite Literary Societies at Eureka College, in Eureka, Illinois, on September 5, on the subject "Mennonitism, Whither Bound?" He preached at the College on Sunday, September 11, and October 23, and at North Goshen, September 18, September 25, and October 30. On Saturday, September 24, he talked to the Mennonite Ministers Meeting at Kokomo, Indiana, on the subject, "The Person of Christ." Dr. Lehman gave the morning sermon at the Yellow Creek Church on October 2. He gave discussions on the book of Philippians at the Olive Church on Sunday evening, October 2 and 23. He appeared three times on the program of the missionary meeting at the Salem Church near New Paris on October 16. On Friday morning, October 28, he read a paper to the Indianapolis meeting of the Indiana Philosophical Association on "Some Impressions of Sheldon's Defense of Soul." On Saturday evening and Sunday

afternoon October 29 and 30, Dr. Lehman spoke on "Mass Movements in India" at the missionary convention at Wakarusa. On the evening of Sunday, October 30, he addressed a missionary group at the Methodist Church in Elkhart. He gave a talk to the Ladies Union Missionary Society in Goshen on November 1, and to the Ladies Reading Club in Middlebury, Indiana, on Wednesday, November 2. Dr. Lehman attended the Commission on Christian Education and Young People's Work in Chicago on November 4 and 5. He filled a preaching appointment at the Chicago Mission on Sunday, November 6. He is scheduled to conduct a series of meetings at the St. Jacob's Mennonite Church in Ontario, from November 13 to November 20.

Misses Mary Royer 30 and Olive Wyse 26 spent the week-end of October 14-16 at the home of Miss Royer's parents at Orrville, Ohio, to help celebrate the thirty-second wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Royer 00. On November 10, Miss Royer was speaker at the Readabit Club at Middlebury. On November 17 and 18, Miss Royer's major professor at George Peabody College, Miss Elsie Gage, visited on the campus. Miss Gage recently returned from a trip around the world, on which she spent two weeks at the Mennonite Mission in India, visiting Mary Good 19, who was a student under Miss Gage at the George Peabody College in Nashville, Tennessee.

Professor Walter E. Yoder 33, head of the music department, attended the annual convention of the North Central Indiana Teachers Association, held at South Bend, October 27-28. Professor Yoder is very busy preparing chorus programs for Homecoming and Christmas.

Miss Olive Wyse 26 attended the annual meeting of the Indiana Home Economics Association in Indianapolis on Thursday, October 27.

Paul E. Mininger 35 attended the University of Michigan during the past summer. After his completion of the summer term, he with his family took a trip to eastern Pennsylvania visiting friends near Philadelphia. They were called west again about the middle of August to attend the funeral of Mrs. Mininger's father, Mr. Samuel S. Erb, of Wellman, Iowa. Mr. Mininger was one of the instructors at the Young People's Institute at Goshen College in August. He attended the Commission for Christian Education and Young People's Work in Chicago on November 4-5. He will conduct evangelistic meetings at the Forks Church, December 2-11.

Dr. John C. Wenger 34 spoke at Young People's Meeting, at the College, on the subject of "Monitors for True Spiritual Progress" on Sunday evening, September 18. On Sunday evening, October 9, he addressed the College congregation on the subject "Observations in Europe." He gave the same talk to the Goshen Rotary Club on October 14, and to the Nappanee Kiwanis Club on October 24. On October 16 Dr. Wenger spoke at the Methodist Episcopal Rally near Plato, Indiana. On October 19, he gave a talk on conditions in Europe at a meeting held under the auspices of the Goshen Merchants Council. On October 30, he spoke at Elida, Ohio, on the subject "Among the Mennonites in Europe."

During the summer vacation period, Stella Kauffman 34 spent a short time in New York City, and then visited her aunt at Allensville, Pennsylvania, and friends and relatives at Belleville, Pennsylvania.

After attending the summer session of the University of Michigan, John Coffman 34 spent three weeks at his home near Vineland, Ontario, the latter part of August.

During the past summer, Miss Lois Winey 36 attended Columbia University, taking courses in the field of Commercial Education.

Miss Retha Hostetler 36, with Carolyn Hershberger x36, took a four-weeks' trip through the western states during the past summer. Among other points of interest, they visited Pikes Peak, Yellowstone National Park, Yosemite National Park, Mexico, and the Catalina Islands. During their trip, Miss Hostetler visited her great-grandmother who lives near the Pacific coast. They also visited an alumnus of Goshen College, David Stutzman x19, at Los Angeles.

WEDDING BELLS

Lorene Forney 33, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Forney, and Melvin Serpette, son of Mr. and Mrs. Therry Serpette, of Danvers, Illinois, were married at the home of the bride's parents, two and one half miles south of Graymont, Illinois, Wednesday, June 15. The Reverend Emanuel Ulrich of the Flanagan Mennonite Church performed a double wedding ring ceremony. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. John Thurson, grandparents of the groom, Mr. and Mrs. Therry Serpette, Freida Serpette, and John Thurson, Jr., of Danvers; Gertrude Serpette, of Peoria; Mrs. Phoebe Bertsche and Mr. and Mrs. Almon Birchy and family of Flanagan. Following the wedding, Mr. and Mrs. Serpette made a motor tour of the Southwest. They were gone seventeen days and traveled 5500 miles. Mr. and Mrs. Serpette are at home on a farm south of Goodfield, Illinois.

Ernest E. Miller 35, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Miller of R. R., Goshen, and Martha L. Stoner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Stoner, of New Paris, were united in marriage on December 25, 1937, at the Middlebury Church of the Brethren by the Rev. Galen Bowman. Mrs. Miller was graduated from the New Paris High School in 1935 and had been employed at Woolworth's in Goshen, but is now employed in the office of the American Laundry Company. Mr. Miller had taught the Southwest School in Harrison Township for two years and is now teacher of the fifth and sixth grades in the Jefferson Township Consolidated School.

David Sommer x37, son of Mr. and Mrs. Simon W. Sommer, of Millersburg, Ohio, and Anna Margaret Carlson, formerly of Minneapolis, Minnesota, were united in marriage in the Pasadena Wedding Chapel, Pasadena, California, on August 21. Mr. Sommer is manager of an apartment building in Los Angeles. Mr. and Mrs. Sommer are at home at 234 1/4 North Reno Street, Los Angeles, California.

Laura Nussbaum (Winter Bible Term 1938), daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Nussbaum of Kidron, Ohio, became the bride of Lores Hofstetter, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Hofstetter of Kidron, on June 19. Mr. Hofstetter is a painter and decorator in Kidron, where the young couple resides.

On August 15, Milton Gascho x33, formerly of Imlay City, Michigan, and Irene Dolan of Auburn, Indiana, were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents, Jasper Lahman of Yoder, Indiana, officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Gascho reside in Auburn, Indiana, where Mr. Gascho has purchased a candy kitchen, ice cream and short order lunchroom.

On September 5, William C. Friesen 37, son of Bishop and Mrs. P. A. Friesen (Florence Coopridge 10) of Drug, C. P., India, and Merle Bennett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Bennett of Alpine, Texas, were united in marriage at Fort Raleigh, Roanoke Island, North Carolina, the Reverend C. C. Perry, of the Manteo Baptist Church at Manteo, North Carolina, officiating. During the past summer both Mr. and Mrs. Friesen were members of the choir of Paul Green's symphonic drama "The Lost Colony," at Fort Raleigh. Mrs. Friesen, after completing the high school course at Alpine, Texas, attended the Sul-Ross State Teachers College at Alpine for one year and is now a junior at Westminster Choir College at Princeton, New Jersey. She is also a member of this season's Westminster Choir. Mr. Friesen has been attending the Westminster Choir School since September, 1937, and was a member of the Westminster Choir during the past season. This year a part of his school work consists in courses in conducting, and also two courses in speech. Mr. and Mrs. Friesen are looking forward to a visit to Goshen when the Westminster Choir sings at the Goshen High School in the spring of 1939.

Janet B. Miller x36, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy D. Miller of 605 South Sixth Street, Goshen, became the bride of William H. Stuckman x34, son of Mrs. Harley Stuckman of New Paris and of the late Rev. Stuckman, on September 25, at a ceremony at the First Presbyterian Church of Goshen, the Rev. Trevor V. D. Dillon, officiating. Mrs. Stuckman is employed in the First National Bank in Goshen and Mr. Stuckman at the Edward Fideke Company Store on South Main Street, Goshen. Mr. and Mrs. Stuckman are at home in New Paris.

JUNIOR ALUMNI

John Charles, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Renn (Mildred Lee x38) of 518 West Franklin Street, Elkhart, was born February 27, 1938.

Loren Allen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stauffer (Frances L. Christophel 30) of Route 3, Goshen, Indiana, was born June 20.

Ann Louise, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Reschly (Esther Roth 29) of Wayland, Iowa, was born August 11.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bradford x32 of East Douglas Street, Goshen, are the parents of a daughter born September 19, at the Goshen Hospital.

Julia Lee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Brandeberry (Leona Yoder x39) was born on September 24 at the Sturgis, Michigan, Hospital.

A daughter was born at the Goshen Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Miller x28 of Route 2, Goshen, on September 30.

A son, Carl Jacob, was born at the Goshen Hospital on the morning of September 19, to Dr. and Mrs. Orie J. Eigsti 31 (Agnes Weaver 32) of Norman, Oklahoma. Dr. Eigsti had gone to take up his duties at the University of Oklahoma and Mrs. Eigsti remained in Goshen with friends. Mrs. Eigsti and Carl Jacob left Goshen on October 13 to join Dr. Eigsti at Norman, Oklahoma.

Stanford John, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Mecum (Dorothy Blough x28) of Middlebury was one of six babies born at the Goshen Hospital during a twelve-hour period on October 3.

NECROLOGY

David B. Yoder, son of Daniel C. and Judith Yoder, was born June 28, 1860, in Logan County, Ohio; died Friday evening, September 30, 1938 at his home near West Liberty, Ohio. On February 8, 1883, he was united in marriage to Sarah Elizabeth Yoder. He was the father of eight children of whom Earl M. x10, Golda x15 (Mrs. Samuel C. Plank), of West Liberty are alumni of Goshen College. One of his sisters, Fannie, is the wife of Rev. Paul E. Whitmer 05 of Pandora, Ohio. He was the grandfather of Olive Yoder 36, Kathryn Yoder x40, and Elizabeth Plank 40.

Mrs. Sarah A. Plank, aged 83, died at her home 923 South Tenth Street, Goshen, on October 21, following a several years' illness of infirmities of old age. She was the widow of Simon Plank, who died April 20, 1921. Mrs. Plank was born in Lagrange County, August 1, 1885, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Christian Mast. Surviving are a son, Oliver L. Plank, of Mishawaka, a daughter, Mrs. John Zook, of Goshen, and three grandchildren, of whom Herbert x32 and Dorothy x40, a teacher in the Waterford schools, have been students in Goshen College.

PERSONAL

Grace Augsburg x41 of Wayland, Iowa, is a member of the beginning class of nursing at the La Junta, Colorado, Mennonite Hospital and Sanitarium.

Adeline Aschliman 33, Grace Brunk 25, and Iola Miller 37 began their duties at the La Junta Mennonite Hospital and Sanitarium on September 1.

On account of the illness of the deacon of the Plainview Church near Aurora in Portage County, Ohio, Elmer Stoltzfus x10 and another brother of the congregation have been appointed to assist in the duties of the deacon.

Alma Kaufmann 34, is primary superintendent of the Sunday school in the Willow Springs congregation near Tiskilwa, Illinois.

Harriet Yoder x37, daughter of Attorney J. S. Yoder 05 of South Sixth Street, Goshen, is employed as home-economics instructor in the high school at Hazelton near Vincennes, Indiana.

Orus Jessup x36 is continuing his work in the Trotwood, Ohio, High School. Mr. and Mrs. Jessup spent the latter part of the summer with Mr. Jessup's parents south of Goshen, and left for Trotwood late in August.

Mary M. Good 19 of Balodgahan, India, reports an increase of nineteen in attendance at the school in Balodgahan.

Jane (Jenny) Shanower 00, formerly of Elkhart, now resides at 264 Marion Avenue, Painesville, Ohio. The *News-Letter* had lost her address for several years and is indebted to Mr. John Coffman for her rediscovery.

Miss Lois Gunden, 36, rural school teacher near Flanagan, Illinois, visited friends and relatives on the campus over the weekend of October 22-23.

Clifford Lantz x37, of Topeka, Indiana, has entered the School of Pharmacy in Indianapolis.

Bishop A. J. Steiner 00, of North Lima, Ohio, began a series of evangelistic meetings in the West Erb Street Mennonite Church at Waterloo, Ontario on October 1.

R. R. Smucker 28, returned missionary from India, began a three-day Bible Conference at Thurman, Colorado, on September 11. Mr. and Mrs. Smucker (Alma Albrecht 11) who have been living at Tiskilwa, Illinois, have removed to the College Apartments on College Avenue, Goshen. Brother Smucker expects to devote his time to evangelistic work.

Mrs. Paul Erb (Alta Mae Eby 12) is the author of a new textbook in the series of Mission Study courses being prepared by the Mission Study Course Committee of the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities. The book is entitled "Studies in Mennonite City Missions."

Mrs. Edwin I. Weaver (Irene Lehman 31) gives an account of the work at Drug, India, in the October 6 issue of the *Gospel Herald*.

S. J. Hostetler 23, writing from Dondi, for the October 6 issue of the *Gospel Herald*, gives an account of a "religious" service conducted by his heathen neighbors in an effort to persuade the gods to send them rain.

Some of the workers in the African Mission give an interesting report of the second annual European and Native Bible Conference at the Mennonite Mission in Africa, in the October 6 issue of the *Gospel Herald*. One of their number was ordained bishop for the African church at an ordination service conducted by Bishop Henry E. Lutz, of Mount Joy, Pennsylvania, secretary of the Lancaster County Mennonite Conference.

A suite of rooms is being built in Pehuajo, Argentina, for the use of Selena Gamber in her medical dispensary.

Orus Eash x40, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Eash of Middlebury, Indiana, has returned to Ann Arbor, Michigan, to resume his study in architecture at the University of Michigan.

Milton Latta x17 has been elected chairman of the Goshen District Boy Scouts of America. Fred Priser 09 and C. J. Gerber 17 of Wakarusa, were re-elected vice-chairmen.

The Hon. Arthur Gilliom 10, of Indianapolis, former attorney-general of Indiana, was chosen to preside at the trials of twenty-four persons indicted by the Marion Indiana County grand jury for primary election vote fraud.

Rose Adams 34 of South Eighth Street, Goshen, is taking a course in secretarial work at the Gregg School at Chicago.

Mrs. A. J. Fett (Mary Speicher x07) of Harlingen, Texas, visited relatives and friends in Wayne County, Ohio, and at West Liberty, Ohio, the former home of Mr. and Mrs. Fett, during the latter part of September.

Amanda Frey 27, of Archbold, Ohio, writes an interesting account of a farewell service to Vesta Nafziger 38 at the Central Church near Archbold, Ohio, on Sunday evening, September 25. Nearly 1400 people were present. Lawrence Burkholder 39, president of the student Foreign Volunteer Band at Goshen College, had a part in the service.

At the annual business meeting of the College congregation on October 5, C. L. Graber, pastor, reported that the total membership of the congregation is 226. Paul Mininger 34, pastor of the North Goshen Mennonite Church, reported a membership of thirty-nine at that place. The treasurer reported that the debt on the North Goshen Church has been paid. C. J. Gunden and Willard H. Smith 27 were elected to serve as trustees for a three-year period. Paul Mininger 34 was chosen a member of the Indiana-Michigan Mission Board and Walter E. Yoder 33, associate member. The pastor announced the following members of the church council for the coming year: C. L. Graber, pastor; S. C. Yoder, president of the College; H. S. Bender 18, Dean of the College; Walter E. Yoder 33, Sunday-school superintendent; Guy F. Hershberger, assistant Sunday-school superintendent; Silas Hertzler 13; C. P. Martin 27; and Ellis Zook x27.

Ivan Lind 37 of Hesston, Kansas, who was a student at the University of Iowa during the past summer, gave a series of lectures on Matthew 5-7 at the Iowa City Mennonite Gospel Mission, Iowa City, Iowa, in August.

A well-written report of the Ohio Sunday School Conference appears in the October 6 issue of the *Gospel Herald*. The report of the conference was written by Mary Royer 30. The names of the following alumni appear on the program: Daniel Johns, Jr. 38, Ernest E. Miller 17, C. L. Graber x28, Orpha Troyer (special student), Eli Stoltzfus 22, A. J. Steiner 00, W. J. Hershberger x20, S. C. Plank x15, Mrs. Ernest E. Miller (Ruth Blosser 17), Mrs. Timothy Brenneman (Rowena Leedy Brenneman x40), Bishop D. D. Miller, bishop of the College Congregation, Timothy H. Brenneman 37, Vesta Nafziger 38, Atlee Beechy 35, Francis Smucker 37, Carol Glick 42, Dwight Stoltzfus 41, Margery Yoder 40, Lloyd Conrad 38, Bishop O. N. Johns x09, C. Richard Yoder 37, and Paul Yoder x26. The members of the Executive Committee of the Ohio Sunday School Conference are as follows: P. L. Frey, Archbold, Ohio, chairman; I. W. Royer 00, Orrville, Ohio, secretary; E. O. Hilty, Marshallville, Ohio; William Detweiler, Orrville, Ohio; Eli Stoltzfus 22, Rittman, Ohio; Walter E. Oswald 21, North Lima, Ohio; and Raymond Short x24, Archbold, Ohio. The historian was re-elected for a term of one year.

J. Paul Sauder 25 of Tampa, Florida, gives an interesting day by day report of activities at the Tampa Mennonite Mission from September 20-26 in the October 6 issue of the *Gospel Herald*.

Mrs. S. C. Yoder recently underwent a severe operation at the Goshen Hospital. She is recovering satisfactorily.

Alumni may be interested in the new Brenneman Family History. The book lists over 25,000 names and contains 944 pages of family history, 27 pages of valuable and interesting appendices, 220 pages of index, listing all the names found in the book, and 32 pages of biographical index.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Swope, who have been located at Pittsburgh, for the past several years, have moved to Belleville, Pennsylvania. Their address is 105 Walnut Street. Mr. Swope is a salesman for the Royal Nut and Candy Company of New York.

M. O. Krabill of Louisville, Ohio, did graduate work at Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio, during this past summer.

Charles Kreider 37 is instructor in English and history in the Portage Junior High School in Barberton, Ohio. Mr. Kreider did graduate work at O. S. U. during the last two quarters last year and at the O. S. U. Biological Station on Put-in-Bay on Lake Erie during the past summer.

Noble W. Hollar x14 is Democratic candidate for county auditor in Elkhart County.

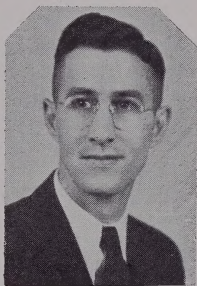
Florence Allison, who attended Goshen College in 1916-17, and taught in the Elkhart County schools for several years is now Mrs. Raymond S. Yoder. Mr. and Mrs. Yoder live on Route 4, New Paris, Indiana. Their daughter, Vivian, was a member of the graduating class of New Paris High School in June and maintained a very high scholarship average during her four-year high school course.

Delvin Gerber (Winter Bible Term, 1938) of Kidron, Ohio, whose marriage to Esther Sommer, was reported in the last issue of the *News-Letter*, is employed at the L. E. Sommer Warehouse in Kidron. Mrs. Gerber was employed as bookkeeper at the warehouse before her marriage. Mr. and Mrs. Gerber live in Kidron.

Mrs. Floyd Zook (Polly Myers 18), formerly of R. R., Amboy, Indiana, now resides at Bluffton, Indiana, Route 1.

Glenwood Schertz x33 of Roanoke, Illinois, received the degree M.S. at the University of Illinois in June. He is instructor in science in the Roanoke, Illinois, high school, where Tilman Smith 28 is principal.

On Sunday, September 11, Timothy H. Brenneman 38, of Elida, Ohio, who was graduated from Goshen College in 1937 with the B.A. degree and who received the Bachelor of Theology degree in 1938 was ordained to the ministry at the Central Church in Elida. The ordination service was in charge of Bishop S. E. Allgyer, field worker of the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities, and Bishop Sanford C. Yoder, president of Goshen College and secretary of the M. B. M. C. Mr. and Mrs. Brenneman and children Patricia and Donnie, expect to sail from New Orleans on Nov. 12. In South America their address will be Pehuajo, F. C. O., Argentina.



T. H. Brenneman

Burl Nelson x39 completed the second year of his course at the Indiana University Dental College in Indianapolis in June. During the past summer he spent three months in the clinic doing extractions and fillings and making plates. His address is 2339 North Meridian Street, Indianapolis.

Andrew Bean x38 is teaching a rural school in Oxford County in the Province of Ontario about fifteen miles from his home in New Dundee, Ontario, Canada.

During the past summer Don Kreider 38 took courses in business administration at the University of Colorado.

Raymond M. Yoder 38, superintendent of the Mennonite Home Mission in Chicago, and Anna Yordy x11 and Harriet Lapp 37, visited on the campus during the latter part of October.

Clyde Miller 38 is employed as payroll clerk by the Barley Heater Company of Goshen.

Carl Kreider 37, who was a graduate student in economics and business administration at Princeton University last year, spent part of the summer doing research work for Professor Frank A. Fretter, professor emeritus of economics, at Princeton University, who is writing a history of the tariff. Mr. Kreider sailed on September 21 for England where he will be in residence at the University of London during the coming year. His address is Friends House, Euston Road, N. W. 1, London, England.

George W. Holderman 37 is teaching the Henry Center School near Kendrick, Oklahoma. He has four pupils in his school: one each in the first, third, tenth, and eleventh grades. He is enjoying his work very much.

George Luther x35 is physical director in the Psychiatric Division of the Pennsylvania Hospital at 4401 North Street, Philadelphia. The alumni office secured Mr. Luther's address through the courtesy of Wade Jones of La Junta, Colorado, who registered in Goshen College in September as a sophomore and who was a student with Mr. Luther in the Training School for Nurses at Pennsylvania Hospital.

Dr. W. Delmar Hershberger 27 has published his doctoral dissertation **The Modes of Oscillation in Barkharsen-Kurz Tubes**. The book was privately printed by the University of Pennsylvania and bears the date 1937. Dr. Hershberger is employed at the R. C. A. laboratories in Camden, New Jersey.

Harvey C. Birky x32 of Fisher, Illinois, was graduated from the General Bible Course of the Moody Bible Institute in April. Mr. and Mrs. Birky are preparing for the Alaskan Mission field. They have a six-months old daughter.

Mrs. Effie B. Yoder (Effie E. Ganger 19) of 912 Osceola Way, Glendale, California, widow of the late Homer A. Yoder, is one of the loyal supporters of the program of the Goshen College Alumni Association.

Beulah Loucks 27 visited her sister, Mrs. I. E. Burkhart (Gladys Loucks 25) at 1408 South Eighth Street, the latter part of September. Miss Loucks is employed as proofreader in the Mennonite Publishing House and frequently does the proofreading of the *News-Letter*.

The address of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford E. Mann (Helen Ebersole x32) is R. R. 4, Elkhart, Indiana.

Kenneth Snapp x39 continues to enjoy his work at the University of Miami. Mr. Snapp has organized a concert band of forty students which he is directing. He is also one of the soloists in the widely-known Miami University Band.

Dr. Melvin Gingerich, instructor in Washington Junior College at Washington, Iowa, is preparing his thesis on the history of the Mennonites of Iowa for publication. In October, Dr. Gingerich attended a meeting celebrating the one hundredth anniversary of the founding of the historical Quaker Church at Salem, Iowa, the first Quaker church west of the Mississippi. He also gave an address at a peace conference at the Quaker Church at Rubio on the subject of "Propaganda." On October 28, he led a round table discussion on the subject of "Propaganda" at Grinnell College in their annual International Relations Conference.

Ruth A. Schmidt x40 is employed in domestic service in Los Angeles. Her address is 653 S. Highland, Los Angeles, California.

Esther Brunk 27, returned missionary from South America, visited the Mennonite Church in Ashley, Michigan, on August 14 and gave an interesting talk on her experiences as a teacher in South America. Miss Brunk is a sister of Sharon Brunk 28, who is superintendent of the Sunday school in the congregation at Ashley.

Ruby Martin 38 is employed as a stenographer in the treasurer's office of the Mennonite Board of Missions and Charities at Elkhart, Indiana. Miss Martin assumed her duties late in September.

Glenn Springer x38 is principal and teacher of grades five to eight in the Cropsey, Illinois, schools.

Mrs. Inger (Johnson) Whitmore x13 of 21 East Tenth Street, New York City, is employed by the Academy of Fine Arts and Letters in New York City. Mrs. Whitmore attributes her success in her chosen field to her work at Goshen College.

C. Warren Long, superintendent of the Peoria Mennonite Mission, 1103 Ann Street, Peoria, Illinois, writing under date of October 3, stated that Ralph R. Smucker 28 would begin a week of revival meetings at the mission on October 16.

Bishop O. N. Johns x07 of Route 3, Canton, Ohio, is secretary of the Canton Bible School which is to be reopened for a three-week term on November 28. Other members of the faculty include I. W. Royer 00, of Orrville, Ohio; William G. Detweiler, of Smithville, Ohio; and J. J. Hostetler, superintendent of the Canton, Ohio Mission.

Large numbers of alumni will be interested in a new genealogy, "Descendants of Barbara Hochstetler and Christian Stutzman," which has been compiled and edited by Harvey Hochstetler of California, Iowa. The book contains a well-written introductory history of the Hochstetler family followed by a detailed list of the Barbara Hochstetler and Christian Stutzman descendants, numbering 15,550 family heads. The book is especially rich in information concerning some of the older Amish families in the United States. The book contains 1391 pages and sells for \$2.50 to \$3.50 per volume, depending on the style of binding desired. Alumni who desire a copy may order it from the author.

Dorothy C. Kemrer 25, instructor in the Eastern Mennonite School at Harrisonburg, Virginia, is writing the news notes of the school which appear monthly in the *Gospel Herald*. She states that 174 students are enrolled in Eastern Mennonite School this semester and that there are representatives from California, District of Columbia, Delaware, Indiana, Maryland, Michigan, Mississippi, Missouri, New York, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Virginia, West Virginia, and Ontario, Canada.

Members of the class of 1930 are reminded in a letter written by Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Hostetler on September 24, that the class letter of the class of 1930 is lost somewhere between Indiana and South Dakota. Will members of the class please take note and try to locate the lost letter and speed it on its way?

Esther Weber 38 of Lititz, Pennsylvania, is enrolled in the school of Library Science at the University of Illinois.

Matilda Irene Zook 29, whose address during the past year was Lancaster, Pennsylvania, is now located at Bridgeville, Delaware, where she is caring for an elderly gentleman and his sister. Both are feeble and quite a charge, but Miss Zook enjoys a change from the schoolroom. She continues her warm interest in Goshen College and is a loyal supporter of the alumni program.

Gladys Burkhart 32, of Knoxville, Tennessee, who is employed in the office of one of the leading officials of the T. V. A., recently remembered the Alumni Division with another of her generous checks for the Alumni Division of the Goshen College Accredited Plan. Her letter glows with enthusiasm for the scenery of eastern Tennessee and the great "Smokies." Phrases from her letter which indicate her interest in the scenery of the southeast are "up Clingman's Dome," "hiking in the mountains," "climbing Greenbriar Pinnacle via the Cat's Stairs," "long loop through Nantahala Gorge." Her enthusiasm reaches a climax in the paragraph: "I wish I could paint an accurate word picture of our East Tennessee landscape during this glorious Indian summer that we're having. Here 'tis, the middle of October, and the weather is as balmy and congenial as any summer-time weather; the skies are the 'gladdest jewel-blue' you can ask for; the hills covered with trees brilliantly alive with the intense fall colors—a blaze of scarlet, a dash of purple, a daub of yellow, all with an undertone of subdued green and a slight trimming of brown; over all we have the mellowest, yellowest sunshine that ever bathed any landscape. This morning there is too much of a haze, so I cannot see the everlasting Smokies, but I know they are there, calm and strengthening behind the mask of smoke and fog that at times hides them from view."

Wilma Miller x39, teacher of the kindergarten in Archbold, Ohio, and Geneva Stamm x40, teacher of thirty-seven pupils in the third, fourth, and fifth grades in the consolidated school at Elmira, Ohio, visited the campus over the week-end of October 21-23.

Leon Glick 36 of Sugar Creek, Ohio, who has been employed as deliveryman for a baking company contemplates returning to college in September, 1939, to prepare for teaching history and biological science.

At the Eighth quarterly mission meeting of the Lima, Central, Mount Pleasant (Blanchard), and Bethany congregations, held at the Central Church, Elida, Ohio, October 30, several alumni took an active part. J. N. Kaufman 17, of Peoria, Illinois, preached a mission sermon. Mrs. T. H. Brenneman x40 spoke on "What I hope to do as a missionary"; T. H. Brenneman 37 on "Blessings of the Yielded Life"; Mrs. Ernest E. Miller (Ruth Blosser 17) on "My Experiences in India"; John C. Wenger 34 of Goshen, on "Observations among the Mennonites in Europe"; D. D. Miller, bishop of the College congregation on "Our Responsibilities to Missions." Consecration and farewell services were conducted for Brother and Sister Brenneman by Bishops S. E. Allgyer, West Liberty, Ohio, and D. D. Miller, of Elkhart. John C. Wenger of Goshen was moderator of the meeting.

Dr. Esther Smucker Hodel 25, of Morton, Illinois, conducted the physical examinations for Goshen College women on October 14-15. Dr. Hodel gave an address to the women at the chapel hour on Friday and spoke again to a group of women of the College and community in the evening at the request of those who had heard her in the morning.

At the thirty-fifth annual Sunday School Meeting of Holmes County, Ohio, held at the Martins Creek Church, Saturday, October 8, several alumni took part in the program. The children's meeting was conducted by Mrs. Stanley Miller (Fern Miller x35). Mrs. C. C. Glick (Maggie Yoder x03) gave an address on the home. Roy Miller 37 spoke on "Hindrances," and Simon W. Sommer 14 conducted a chapter study using Hebrews 12:14. The secretary of the meeting was Henry Troyer 36 and Vernon D. Miller 37 was one of the choristers.

Charles Neff 38 of Chicago is registered in the College of Liberal Arts at Northwestern University. He is taking further courses preparatory to entering Medical School.

Phil Yoder x38 of Goshen, who discontinued his college work at the mid-year, to accept a position as bookkeeper in the office of the Goshen Milk Condensing Company continues to enjoy his work but is planning at some future date to complete his college course.

James M. Watson x40 of Archbold, Ohio, has enlisted in the United States army.

Anna Leatherman 38 of Lansdale, Pennsylvania, who was graduated from Goshen College in June with the Bachelor of Science degree is doing further work in Goshen College to complete the work leading to the degree, Bachelor of Arts.

Kathryn Hershberger x39 of Decatur, Illinois, is attending Central Illinois Normal College, at Normal, Illinois.

Virgil Gerig x40 of Smithville, Ohio and John Smucker x40 of Wooster, Ohio, are enrolled as students in Wooster College.

Charles Hess x40 of Goshen is enrolled in Manchester College at North Manchester, Indiana.

J. A. Leatherman x40 of Bristol, Indiana, is enrolled in Evansville College, Evansville, Indiana. Mr. Leatherman is preparing for the work of the ministry in the M. E. Church and a recent regulation of the M. E. Conference in Indiana requires that all candidates for the ministry graduate from a college which is a member of the North Central Association.

Elaine Plank x40 of Goshen is a student at Fort Wayne Business College.

Glenn Schrock x40 of Orrville, Ohio, has discontinued his college course and expects to engage in agriculture in partnership with his father near Smithville, Ohio.

Margaret Stump x40, daughter of Boyd J. Stump, principal of the Dunlap High School, has transferred to Manchester College at North Manchester, Indiana, to take up courses leading to the teaching of physical education.

Kathryn Yoder x40 of West Liberty, Ohio, is staying out of school this semester in order to assist her mother.

Verle Hoffman x41 of Goshen, has purchased a bread route and will not be in school during the coming year.

Alvin King x41 of Orrville, Ohio, has transferred to Ohio State University at Columbus, Ohio, to take a course in vocational agriculture.

Lester Glick x41 of Sugarcreek, Ohio, has discontinued his school work and expects to go into partnership with his father in the latter's agricultural and coal-mining interests.

Vera Emmert x41 of Goshen is employed in the office of the Snuggle Rug Company.

Walter H. McDowell x41 has transferred to Eastern Mennonite School. Mr. McDowell is preparing for service on the African Mission field.

Ernest Mishler x41 of Lagrange has temporarily discontinued his school work and is employed in the Kroger Grocery in Goshen.

Katie Ropp x41, of Kalona, Iowa, is employed in domestic service in Kansas City, Kansas.

Barbara Stuckman x41, of South Bend, Indiana, is attending South Bend Business College and keeping house for her father.

Estella Sutter x41 of Wayland, Iowa, is teaching in a rural school near her home.

Cleo Swope x41, of North Lima, Ohio, is attending Sterling Business College, at Sterling, Illinois.

Helen Wisseman x41, of Grantsville, Maryland, was employed at High Point Camp during the summer and has not returned to college.

Gladys Witmer x41 of Decatur, Illinois, is employed as a rural schoolteacher near her home. Although she did not have the necessary two years of work, the community needed a teacher and Miss Witmer took the examinations and passed.

Otto Binkle 33 spent the week-end of Oct. 15-16 at Doylestown, Pa., at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Detweiler (Barbara Thut 34). He gave an address to the Young People's Bible Meeting at the Doylestown Mennonite Church in the Franconia Conference on Sunday evening, October 9. His subject was, "Manifestations of the Son of God." Mr. Binkle's address is 34 Plaza Street, Apartment 2, Brooklyn, New York.

Paul Yoder x38 of Hubbard, Oregon, is employed in a fruit cannery at Woodburn, Oregon, and expects to complete his college course during the second semester. He hopes to attend a medical school in the West next year.

Orville Gunden x40 has discontinued his work in College to engage in a partnership with his father, who, for the past several years, has been doing a thriving trucking business.

George Musselman x41 of Garden City, Missouri, is continuing his school work in the University of California.

Wendell Treesh x41, is employed on a farm near Wakarusa.

Joanna Bontrager 10 of the bookkeeping department of the Salem Bank and Trust Company, Goshen, spent her vacation in August with her sister, Mrs. W. C. Eigsti, at Chicago Heights, Illinois, and at the Wisconsin Dells.

Miss Gladys Yoder x39, formerly of Minot, North Dakota, is doing private nursing service in Evanston, Illinois. She is living with her brother's family at 1740 Juneway Terrace.

Reverend Iverson Mishler 32 has been elected secretary and treasurer of the Brothers School Reunion in Jackson Township.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Whitaker (Fern Zimmerman x36) superintendent and matron of the Portland, Oregon, Mission, are conducting a thriving and very practical mission work in Portland. This year after the close of the summer Bible school, they conducted a summer camp on a beautifully located farm several miles from Portland. Four groups spent eight days each at this summer camp. The mission owns a little village of tents which were set up in a beautiful fir grove. The first group consisted of fourteen girls; the second of sixteen boys, eight to ten years old; the third, a group of fourteen junior girls and the last group was eight junior boys. The Mission finds that this is an excellent way to become acquainted with city boys and girls. After the four camp periods expired, the mission held a Victorious Life Conference at the Mission with J. D. Mininger, of Kansas City, as principal speaker. The Mission also conducts an enrollment agency for Mennonite working girls who wish employment in city homes. Some of the girls are paid thirty-five dollars a month.

The following Goshen College alumni are teaching in the Elkhart County schools during the present school year: In the Jamestown School: Harley Holben x09, High School principal; Alta Housour 35; Alice Housour 34; Wilma Culp 25; Mrs. Cleo Hallman (Cleo Searer x12), Ruth Cook 36; and Prudence Erne 37. In the Benton Schools: David Bechtel 37 is principal and Beth Biggs 37 teaches grades one to four. At the Hex School in Benton Township Harold D. Berkey x34 is grade principal. At the Juday School in Benton Township, Charles Gardner 36 is grade principal. Russel Wright 38 teaches in Cleveland Township. In the Millersburg Schools, Otis L. Larimer is high school principal and Barbara Zook x31, Agnes Cripe 37, Florence Gangwer 36, and Gladys Honderich 30 teach in the high school. Samuel S. Miller 32 is the newly elected grade principal of the Clinton Community School. Bernice Zook x35 teaches in the grades. In the Concord Township Schools, Boyd J. Stump is high school principal. Ralph R. Myers 29 and Mary Ellen Esch 37 teach in the high school. Kenneth Zook 34 is grade principal of the Concord Schools and Faith Rowe x24 is also a grade school teacher. Marianna Reiff 36 is a teacher in the Concord East Side grade school. In Elkhart Township, Lloyd Hess x36 is grade principal in Model School. Reverend Iverson Mishler 32 is grade principal of the Rensberger School and the staff of the Waterford School includes G. A. Haberstich 38, grade principal, Mabel Roth 30, Dorothy Zook x39, and Grace Mast 32. In Harrison Township are Ira Hoover x29, Louise Barringer 36, Parke Lantz 37, Robert Gongwer 38, Anna Hoover 10, Helen Phillips 38. In New Paris High School, Ezra M. Hoover 22 is principal and Mrs. Ruth Fogelsonger 38 teaches commercial branches. In Jefferson Township, Mildred Hostetler 36 is the newly appointed teacher in home economics, Naomi Fogelsonger x35 teaches commercial branches and Ernest Miller 35 has transferred from Harrison Township to teach in the junior high school. Locke Township teachers include Elta Holaway 38, Ruth Chamberlain 37, and Eldon Weldy x28. Middlebury Township teachers are Esther Miller 38, Lowell Troyer 36, Perry G. Miller, Evelyn Harper x36 and Shirley Holoway 37. C. J. Gerber 17 is high school principal of the Wakarusa schools. Other Goshen alumni teaching in the Wakarusa school system are Esther Searer 24, Arlowene Stiver 38, Warren

Holderman 38, and Lois Yoder 36. Teachers in the Osolo Township Grade School are Mary Feeser 38, grade principal, Huber Yoder 38, Mrs. Verla Smetzer 38, and Ruth Buzzard 37. In Union Township: Florence Shirk 36, Gladys Hershberger 37, and Mrs. Charles Stouder, Jr. (Evangeline Weaver 36). A. W. Hunsberger x39 teaches in the Bristol grade schools. Charles Stouder, Jr., who was working toward an advanced degree during the summer session of Goshen College, is teaching in York Township.

Inez Hauder x36 attended summer school at the University of Wisconsin.

DeMain Warner x20 has been elected president of the Keim family reunion for the coming year.

Reverend and Mrs. Reuben Detweiler 13 (Georgia Cart 10) of North Hollywood, California, visited friends in Elkhart County during August and attended the reunion of the Brothers Grade School, District Number 3, in Jackson Township on Sunday, August 7.

Esther Widmer 37 is assistant director and instructor of nurses in science subjects at the Washington Boulevard Hospital in Chicago. Sixty student nurses are in training at the hospital.

Edward Belan x40 of 5004 West Deming Place, Chicago, is employed in the office of the Commonwealth-Edison Electric Company and is taking courses in business administration on the Chicago campus of Northwestern University.

Mr. and Mrs. David Costillo, superintendent and matron of the Mision Evangelico (Mexican Mennonite Mission) at 931 Twelfth Street, Chicago, are enjoying their work in the mission. Communion services were held at the mission on Sunday afternoon, October 30, by Bishop J. D. Hartzler of Flanagan, Illinois.

Waldo Lehman 38, medical student in Northwestern University on the Chicago campus has been asked by Dean Cutter to do special work in cardiac injection. At present the work is conducted as a NYA project and should lead to special research in the sophomore year.

Harvey Hunsberger x39 is employed in the accounting department of Lord's Department Store in Evanston, Illinois. Mr. Lord is paying Mr. Hunsberger's tuition in several evening courses in business administration on McKinlock campus of Northwestern University. Mr. Hunsberger's address is 1740 Juneway Terrace, Evanston, Illinois.

Floyd W. Shore x39 of Woosung, Illinois, has transferred to the School of Commerce on the Evanston campus of Northwestern University. Mr. Shore has an excellent NYA assignment in the office of Deering Memorial Library.

Clifford Fisher x30 who had been farming in Iowa for the past eighteen months or more, has returned to his former position with the Jewel Food Store in Chicago. His address is The Lawsone YMCA, Chicago, Illinois.

Raymond A. Yoder 31, college artist of several years ago, who had been employed in the high school at Knoxville, Tennessee, now has a position in the Government High School at Norris, Tennessee, teaching art and art crafts.

Dr. J. E. Hartzler 04 of South Seventh Street, Goshen, attended the celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the corner-stone laying of Bethel College, held near Newton, Kansas, October 9-12. On October 11, Dr. Hartzler gave the principal address of the past presidents of Bethel College. Professor A. E. Kreider 15 presided over the session which took up problems facing Mennonite higher education.

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PREFATORY NOTE

On account of the illness of Dean Bender, the printing of the August bulletin was over-looked. The present bulletin, although printed during the closing days of September is dated "August, 1938" in order to conform to the mailing regulations of the U. S. Post Office Department.

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ENROLLMENT STATISTICS

Increase in Enrollment Continues

For the seventh successive year the enrollment of students at Goshen College shows an increase. It is true that the November 1 enrollment last year was 308, but on October 1 it was less than 285, whereas this year it is 294 on September 27. For the second time the total enrollment of full-time and part-time students promises to pass the 300 mark for the first semester. An analysis of the enrollment by classes shows an increase of fourteen in the junior class. This increase is probably due in part to the grants-in-aid being offered to junior and senior Mennonite students who continue their work in a Mennonite College uninterruptedly for four years. The continued increase in part-time students can be accounted for by the requirement that Indiana teachers must continue their academic preparation from year to year both in the high school and in the elementary grades. In comparing the enrollment of the present year with that of the past seven years, one needs to keep in mind that the enrollments from 1931-38 inclusive are for the full year and the enrollment for the first semester 1937-39 is given only to September 27, the end of the first two weeks of the semester.

Comparative Enrollment of Full-time Students

	1931-32	'32-33	'33-34	'34-35	'35-36	'36-37	'37-38	'38-39*
Freshmen	55	78	86	109	95	127	129	94
Sophomores	27	42	52	56	83	73	88	84
Juniors	36	22	25	31	38	28	23	37
Seniors	34	32	25	30	27	34	43	27
Totals	152	174	188	226	243	262	283	242
Graduates		6	7	6	8	5	11	3
Total full-time	152	180	195	232	251	267	294	245
Part-time	47	37	31	31	52	38	56	49

* Number as of September 27, 1938. Other numbers are final totals for the school year.

New Students

About two-fifths of the 245 full-time students are new students enrolled at Goshen College for the first time. These are distributed among the classes as follows: Freshmen 94; Sophomores 6; Juniors 4; Seniors 3; Post-Graduates 1. This means that 108 new students are participating in the life and activities of the institution this year and that 137 former students have returned. Last year there were more new students than former students. The 94 freshmen come from 58 different high schools. The 15 upper classmen who matriculated at Goshen College this year have transferred from the following institutions: Sophomores: University of Tennessee 1, Denver University 2, Lutheran Hospital School of Nursing 1, Bloomington Mennonite Hospital 1, University of Michigan 1; Juniors: Eastern Mennonite School 2, Hesston College 1, Stephens College 1, Taylor University 1; Seniors: Hesston College 3; Post Graduates: Ashland College 1. Statistics of the freshman class by states show that four states continue to contribute the bulk of the enrollment: Indiana 34, Ohio 22, Illinois 18, and Pennsylvania 11. Freshmen come from a total of ten different states as compared with fourteen states last year. The principal decrease in freshman enrollment is in Indiana, where the new requirement of four years for the elementary teacher training diploma appears to have had the effect of discouraging college attendance.

Mennonite Students

The increase of Mennonite students has been keeping pace with the increase in general enrollment. This year the number of full-time Mennonite College students is 170, with one other from a Mennonite

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home. In addition to this total of students from the main body of Mennonites, 12 students are enrolled from other branches of Mennonites, making a total of 182 Mennonites against 65 non-Mennonites, or a percentage of 75%.

The table given below shows the comparative enrollment of Mennonite students (main branch only) for the last seven years by classes. It should be remembered that the statistics for the year 1938-39 are for the first two weeks of the first semester only. The number of Mennonite students will be increased during the next few days and again when the second semester registration occurs.

Comparative Enrollment of Mennonite Students

(Full-time students only)

	1931-32	'32-33	'33-34	'34-35	'35-36	'36-37	'37-38	'38-39*
Freshmen	34	47	37	82	58	79	91	70
Sophomores	13	28	34	36	62	51	63	68
Juniors	30	13	17	23	30	22	16	23
Seniors	25	30	19	24	19	27	40	21
Graduates		2	7	4	3	3	10	2
Total Mennonites	102	120	114	109	172	182	220	184
Grand Total	152	180	195	232	251	257	294	245

* To September 27, 1938. Other year figures are for entire year.

Mennonite Enrollment According to Conference Districts

This year, again, every Mennonite Conference in North America, except the Alberta-Saskatchewan Conference, is represented in the enrollment. The table below gives the total enrollment by conference districts (for full-time and part-time students).

Ohio Mennonite and Eastern A. M.	53	Lancaster	5
Indiana-Michigan (8 part time)	37	Pacific Coast	3
Illinois	35	Ontario	3
Missouri-Kansas	12	Virginia	2
Southwestern Pennsylvania	12	Dakota-Montana	1
Iowa-Nebraska	10	Franklin Co. Penn., Wash. Co. Md.	1
Franconia	7	India	1

Interesting Data About the Student Body

The registrar has prepared a number of interesting and valuable statistical tables concerning the student body, relating to enrollment by curriculums, enrollment by sex, enrollment by states, intended occupations, occupations of fathers, student aid including scholarships. These tables are given below in the order mentioned above.

Enrollment by Curriculums and Sex

	Liberal Arts	Teacher Training	Bible	Men	Women	Grand Total
Freshmen	77	14	3	48	46	94
Sophomores	46	36	2	40	44	84
Juniors	36	1	0	17	20	37
Seniors	24	1	2	11	16	27
Post-Graduates	1	1	1	2	1	3
Total full-time	184	53	8	118	127	245
Part-time	49	0	0	30	19	49
Correspondence ..				8	6	14

The above table shows the effect of the new elementary teacher training requirements in Indiana on the College enrollment. Five more freshmen, seven more sophomores, fourteen more juniors are registered in Liberal Arts than were registered on November 1, 1937. The decrease in the number of students who are taking the elementary teacher training course is twenty-seven in the freshmen class, and seven in the sophomore class.

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Enrollment by States

	Full Time	Part Time		Full Time	Part Time
Indiana	81	49	Idaho	2	
Ohio	50		Texas	2	
Illinois	38		Oregon	1	
Pennsylvania	31		Alabama	1	
Iowa	10		India	1	
Kansas	7		Tennessee	1	
Colorado	5		Louisiana	1	
Ontario	3		Maryland	1	
Michigan	3		North Dakota	1	
Missouri	3		Virginia	1	
New York	2		Total	245	49

Intended Occupation of Freshmen

Teaching	31	Agriculturalist	4	Industrial Arts	1
Undecided	21	Chemist	3	Dietitian	1
Business	11	Forestry	2	Ministry	1
Medicine	9	Librarian	2	Religious Service	1
Engineering	6	Journalism	1	Total	94

Occupation of Father of Freshmen

Agriculturalist	44	Professor	2	County Recorder	1
Laborer	7	Salesman	2	Horticulturalist	1
Unknown	3	Hotel Keeper	1	Plumber	1
Janitor	3	Painter	1	Contractor	1
Clerk	2	Plasterer	1	Miller	1
Mechanic	2	Electrician	1	Dentist	1
Railway Employee	2	Barber	1	Doctor	1
Merchant	3	Interior Decorator	1	Dealer	1
Truck Driver	2	Trustee	1	Minister	1
Mail Carrier	2	Lawyer	1	Business	1
Carpenter	2				

Student Aid

ASSISTANTS		CAMPUS	
Laboratory	7	Private Homes	15
Library	7	Misc.	9
Secretaries	5	N. Y. A.	24
Bookstore	3		
CAMPUS SERVICE		Total Employed	136
Kitchen and Dining Hall	27	SCHOLARSHIPS	35
Janitor, Campus, Firemen	23	LAURA A. KINDIG	
Kulp Hall	10	SCHOLARSHIPS	15
Coffman Hall	6	GRANTS-IN-AID	21

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POST GRADUATES—3

Leatherman, Anna	Lansdale, Pa.
Miller, S. Paul	Garden City, Mo.
Webb, Charles	Goshen, Indiana

SENIORS—27

Benell, Bessie	Minot, N. Dakota
Blosser, Howard	Columbiana, Ohio
Bucher, Samuel	Dallastown, Pa.
Burkholder, Lawrence	Newville, Pa.
Burkholder, Maurice	Nampa, Idaho
Detwiler, Esther	Cherry Box, Mo.
Duerksen, Ruth	Kingman, Kansas
Good, Viola	Waterloo, Ontario
Greener, Ralph	Port Arthur, Texas
Harley, Isaiah	Souderton, Pa.
Hartzler, Lloyd	Harrisonville, Mo.
Kent, Ruth	Goshen, Indiana
King, Ruth	West Liberty, Ohio
Loucks, Georgia	Scottdale, Pa.
Miller, Glen	La Junta, Colorado
Miller, Nora	McPherson, Kansas
Miller, Wilma	Colorado Springs, Colo.
Orendoff, Mae	Flanagan, Illinois
Oyer, Lois	Howell, Michigan
Schiwek, Karl	Decatur, Illinois
Schmidt, Vernon	Harper, Kansas

Sieber, Elizabeth	Goshen, Indiana
Tyson, Angeline	Alanson, Michigan
Trump, Betty	Goshen, Indiana
Yoder, Genevieve	Topeka, Indiana
Yoder, Richard	West Liberty, Ohio
Ziegler, Elwood	Leetonia, Ohio

JUNIORS—37

Barnard, Frances	Goshen, Indiana
Bender, David	Spring, Pennsylvania
Bishop, Franklin	Doylestown, Pa.
Blosser, Fred	Goshen, Indiana
Borders, Bernice	Mishawaka, Indiana
Carpenter, Beth	Goshen, Indiana
Davis, Ernest	Goshen, Indiana
Eimen, Paul	Wellman, Iowa
Glick, Melvin	Narvon, Pa.
Hooley, Ella Mae	Ligonier, Indiana
Hosteteler, Thelma	West Liberty, Ohio
Keller, Alfred	New Paris, Indiana
King, Edith	Chicago, Illinois
Kolb, Esther	Kitchener, Ontario
LaMar, Robert	Hagerstown, Md.
Liechty, Pauline	Smithville, Ohio
Mather, Violet	Goshen, Indiana
Miller, Carl	Wellman, Iowa
Nelson, Dwayne	Newaygo, Michigan

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Plank, Elizabeth.....	West Liberty, Ohio	Showalter, Robert.....	Yoder, Kansas
Reist, Eleanor.....	Falfurrias, Texas	Smith, Wilma.....	Kansas City, Kansas
kieth, Frances.....	Goshen, Indiana	Smucker, Ernest.....	Tiskilwa, Illinois
Schertz, Alta.....	Eureka, Illinois	Springer, Nelson.....	Minier, Illinois
Schrock, Eunice L.....	Fisher, Illinois	Stalter, Miriam.....	Lima, Ohio
Spurgeon, Agnes.....	New Paris, Indiana	Stiver, Esther.....	New Paris, Indiana
Stoltzfus, Grant.....	Elverson, Pa.	Stoltzfus, Dwight.....	Hudson, Ohio
Stutzman, Karl.....	Goshen, Indiana	Stover, Earl.....	Bloomington, Pa.
Troyer, Dana.....	Fisher, Illinois	Stuckey, Doris.....	Archbold, Ohio
VonPelchrzim, Leona.....	Goshen, Indiana	Troyer, Nortell.....	Fisher, Illinois
Walter, Robert.....	Goshen, Indiana	Troyer, Edith.....	Walnut Creek, Ohio
Welty, Mary.....	Goshen, Indiana	Troyer, Paul.....	Converse, Indiana
Widmer, Reuben.....	Wayland, Iowa	Ulrich, Margaret.....	Eureka, Illinois
Yeater, Wayne.....	New Paris, Indiana	Wade, Helen.....	Sterling, Illinois
Yoder, Bette.....	Goshen, Indiana	Wagner, Janice.....	Leiters Ford, Indiana
Yoder, Clifford.....	Columbiana, Ohio	Weaver, Ella May.....	Harper, Kansas
Yoder, Marjory.....	Belleville, Ohio	Weaver, Eunice.....	Goshen, Indiana
Zehr, Kathleen.....	Croghan, New York	Williams, Eldon.....	Goshen, Indiana
		Wingard, Lois.....	Johnstown, Pa.
		Yoder, Lois P.....	Belleville, Ohio
		Zehr, Charlotte.....	Croghan, New York

SOPHOMORES—84

Ainlay, Charles.....	Mishawaka, Indiana
Baumgartner, Ivan.....	Seville, Ohio
Bender, Mary Lois.....	Salisbury, Pa.
Birker, Elsie.....	Manson, Iowa
Bishop, Edgar.....	Doylestown, Pa.
Blosser, Emma.....	Orrville, Ohio
Blosser, Pauline.....	Leetonia, Ohio
Brown, Roscoe.....	Wakarusa, Indiana
Brubaker, Marie.....	North Lima, Ohio
Bucher, Anna Lois.....	Dallastown, Pa.
Burkholder, Joe.....	Nampa, Idaho
Cressman, Una.....	Kitchener, Ontario
Cripe, Robert.....	Goshen, Indiana
Ebersole, Donald.....	Sterling, Illinois
Erb, Shirley.....	Wellman, Iowa
Esch, Nellie.....	Goshen, Indiana
Friesen, Edward.....	Jamaica, C. P., India
Geiser, Doris.....	Orrville, Ohio
Gibson, Paul.....	Syracuse, Indiana
Gingerich, Roman.....	Kalona, Iowa
Gunden, Cleland.....	Goshen, Indiana
Hartzler, Mary.....	West Liberty, Ohio
Hartzler, Phyllis.....	West Liberty, Ohio
Hartzler, Robert.....	Goshen, Indiana
Hemingway, Whitney.....	Elkhart, Indiana
Hernley, Ralph.....	Scottsdale, Pa.
Hernley, Nancy.....	Scottsdale, Pa.
Hershberger, Lowell.....	Nappanee, Ind.
Hershberger, Verda.....	Nappanee, Ind.
Hess, Wyoma.....	Goshen, Indiana
Hooley, Clarence.....	North Lawrence, Ohio
Hostetler, Lena.....	Belleville, Pa.
Huston, Thelma.....	Lima, Ohio
Inbody, Ruth.....	Goshen, Indiana
Jennings, John.....	Concord, Tenn.
Johns, Lois.....	Canton, Ohio
Jones, Marion.....	Denver, Colorado
Jones, Wade.....	Denver, Colorado
Kilmer, Mary.....	Elkhart, Indiana
King, Paul.....	Greentown, Indiana
Kreider, Robert.....	Wadsworth, Ohio
Landaw, Betty.....	Goshen, Indiana
Landers, Russ.....	Goshen, Indiana
Leatherman, John.....	Lansdale, Pa.
Lee, Betty Kate.....	Slidell, La.
Lee, Dale.....	New Paris, Indiana
Lehman, Esther.....	North Lima, Ohio
Leinbach, Earl.....	Goshen, Indiana
Liechty, Donald.....	Archbold, Ohio
Litwiller, Agnes.....	Delavan, Illinois
Logan, Christine.....	Goshen, Indiana
Martin, Burnett.....	Nappanee, Indiana
Miller, Allen.....	Spring, Pa.
Miller, LaVeta.....	New Paris, Indiana
Miller, Sturges.....	Millersburg, Ohio
Moyer, Paul.....	Doylestown, Pa.
Schertz, Lois May.....	Low Point, Illinois
Schertz, Lola.....	Eureka, Illinois
Schertz, Marvin.....	Eureka, Illinois
Schertz, Robert.....	Metamora, Illinois
Schrock, Eunice A.....	Low Point, Illinois
Sears, Marybeth.....	Elkhart, Indiana
Shoemaker, Orval.....	Dakota, Illinois

FRESHMEN—94

Albrecht, Marion.....	Morton, Illinois
Baker, Robert.....	Elkhart, Indiana
Beer, Jacob.....	Roanoke, Illinois
Beller, Carole.....	Graymont, Illinois
Beller, Doris.....	Garymont, Illinois
Bender, Bernice.....	Salisbury, Pa.
Blosser, Paul.....	Columbiana, Ohio
Boshart, Edwin.....	Goshen, Indiana
Brenneman, Ruth.....	Goshen, Indiana
Bruce, Christine.....	Goshen, Indiana
Brunk, Milton.....	Goshen, Indiana
Buckwalter, Elizabeth.....	Lancaster, Pa.
Bulla, Anna Marie.....	Elkhart, Indiana
Burck, Clarence.....	Albany, Oregon
Burkholder, Eva.....	Harrisonburg, Va.
Culp, Lester.....	Tiskilwa, Illinois
Eby, Viola.....	Bristol, Indiana
Eigsti, Marion.....	Buda, Illinois
Emmons, Mary.....	Rochester, Indiana
Erb, Lois.....	Wellman, Iowa
Esh, Samuel.....	Belleville, Pa.
Everson, Mary.....	Milan, Ohio
Falb, George.....	Orrville, Ohio
Fisher, Lloyd.....	DeGrave, Ohio
Gary, Jack.....	Elkhart, Indiana
Gill, Margaret.....	Goshen, Indiana
Gingerich, Glennis.....	Nappanee, Indiana
Glick, Carol.....	Sugar Creek, Ohio
Grabner, Virgil.....	Wayland, Iowa
Harnish, Mary.....	Eureka, Illinois
Hertzler, Sara.....	Norristown, Pa.
Hess, Mildred.....	Goshen, Indiana
Hile, William.....	Elkhart, Indiana
Hooover, Merle.....	Goshen, Indiana
Hostetler, Clarence.....	Harper, Kansas
Kauffman, Jennie.....	Goshen, Indiana
Kines, Waldo.....	Canton, Ohio
King, Arthur.....	West Liberty, Ohio
King, Harold.....	Chicago, Illinois
King, Rosella.....	Goshen, Indiana
Leer, Esther.....	New Paris, Indiana
Lehman, Clara.....	Orrville, Ohio
Liechty, John.....	Smithville, Ohio
Lohr, Albert.....	Lancaster, Pa.
Martin, Paul.....	Goshen, Indiana
Martin, Raymond.....	Kouts, Indiana
Maust, Freda.....	Nappanee, Indiana
Meck, Mervin.....	Freeport, Illinois
Miller, Gerald.....	Millersburg, Ohio
Miller, Lois.....	Colorado Springs, Colorado
Miller, Rex.....	New Paris, Indiana
Miller, Samuel.....	Spring, Pa.
Mishler, Harold.....	Davidsville, Pa.
Morton, Shirley.....	Elkhart, Indiana
Mumaw, Harvey.....	Wooster, Ohio
Musselman, Lois.....	Orrtanna, Pa.
Myers, Richard.....	Goshen, Indiana
Nusbaum, Vada.....	Goshen, Indiana
Oesch, Mary Ellen.....	Spartansburg, Pa.
Oyer, Harold.....	Eureka, Illinois
Oyer, Verna.....	Goshen, Indiana

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Phebus, Clarence.....	Middlebury, Indiana	Chiddister, Dellos.....	Goshen
Place, Neil.....	Norwalk, Ohio	Christophel, Sarah.....	Goshen
Pustay, Nicholas.....	Canton, Ohio	Cook, Ruth.....	Elkhart
Ramseyer, Martha.....	Smithville, Ohio	Copenhaver, Clyde.....	Goshen
Richard, Elam.....	Seville, Ohio	Cripe, Ethel.....	Goshen
Roeschley, Myra.....	Graymont, Illinois	Culp, Wilma.....	Elkhart
Rutt, Kathryn.....	Elizabethtown, Pa.	Eash, Irma.....	Shipshewana
Schertz, Lois Mary.....	Washington, Illinois	Erne, Prudence.....	Elkhart
Schnell, Kempes.....	Orrville, Ohio	Hartzler, Lewis.....	Topeka
Schrock, Louella.....	Low Point, Illinois	Hess, Lloyd.....	Goshen
Shoup, Harry.....	Orrville, Ohio	Holdeman, Warren.....	Wakarusa
Sieber, Miriam.....	Goshen, Indiana	Howard, Robert.....	Goshen
Smith, Beulah.....	Eureka, Illinois	Huffman, Charles.....	New Paris
Smith, Ruth.....	Lima, Ohio	Hunsperger, Andrew.....	Goshen
Smucker, Martha.....	Orrville, Ohio	Juday, Luther.....	Millersburg
Smucker, Milton.....	Tiskilwa, Illinois	Koeppel, John.....	Goshen
Stalter, Virginia.....	Flanagan, Illinois	Lehman, Leonard.....	Goshen
Strayer, Wava.....	LaGrange, Indiana	Miller, E. Ernest.....	Middlebury
Summer, Elizabeth.....	Wilmer, Alabama	Miller, Perry G.....	Shipshewana
Troyer, Herbert.....	Middlebury, Indiana	Mininger, Mary.....	Goshen
Troyer, Annabelle.....	Fisher, Illinois	Neff, Eldon.....	Bremen
Warner, Genevieve.....	Goshen, Indiana	Nelson, Charles.....	Goshen
Weaver, Arthur.....	North Lima, Ohio	Peterson, LeRoy.....	Goshen
Wenger, Thema.....	Martinsburg, Pa.	Raber, Annabel.....	Goshen
Widmer, Glenn.....	Wayland, Iowa	Rensberger, Joe.....	Goshen
Widmer, Maynard.....	Wayland, Iowa	Sears, Henry.....	Elkhart
Witmer, Mildred.....	Goshen, Indiana	Stellingwerf, Marie.....	Goshen
Yoder, Daniel.....	Elkhart, Indiana	Stump, Milo.....	Bremen
Yoder, David.....	Elkhart, Indiana	Stutzman, Mary.....	Goshen
Yoder, Eldon.....	Goshen, Indiana	Thomas, Melvin.....	Millersburg
Yoder, Philip.....	Bellefontaine, Ohio	Weaver, Joseph.....	Goshen
Yoder, Phyllis.....	West Liberty, Ohio	Weaver, Robert.....	Goshen
Zehr, Howard.....	Deer Creek, Illinois	Weldy, Dwight.....	Wakarusa
		Weldy, Eldon.....	Wakarusa
		Welty, Albert.....	Goshen
		Whitehead, J. Galen.....	New Paris
		Winey, Mabel.....	Goshen
		Yoder, Harvey.....	Elkhart
		Yoder, LeRoy.....	Goshen
		Yoder, A. Lois.....	Elkhart
		Zook, Bernice.....	Goshen
		Zook, Dorothy.....	Goshen

PART-TIME STUDENTS—49

(All from Indiana)

Baker, Dwight.....	Elkhart
Bagwell, Eugene.....	Goshen
Baker, Bonieta.....	Elkhart
Barnard, Muriel.....	Goshen
Bechtel, David.....	Goshen
Brothers, Chester.....	Goshen

Students Whose Parents Attended Goshen College

It is interesting to note the increasing number of students who come from homes where father or mother or both parents attended Goshen College. This year there are fifty-three such students. In ten cases both parents attended Goshen College.

Post-Graduates—1

Charles Webb, Goshen, Indiana; Mrs. Leonard C. Webb (Maude Cripe, '09).

Seniors—6

Lawrence Burkholder, Newville, Pennsylvania; Henry L. Burkholder, Teacher, Summer '34.

Maurice Burkholder, Nampa, Idaho; M. I. Burkholder, x01.

Lloyd Hartzler, Harrisonville, Missouri; Mrs. L. J. Hartzler (Minnie Hauder, x09).

Elizabeth Sieber, Goshen, Indiana; Mrs. Charles Sieber (Bertha Shoemaker, '07).

Genevieve Yoder, Topeka, Indiana; Edwin Yoder, x10.

Richard P. Yoder; Mr. and Mrs. John L. Yoder, x11 (Bertha Krabill, x18).

Juniors—10

Fred Blosser, Goshen, Indiana; Mr. and Mrs. Mark Blosser, (Ella Brechbill, x11).

Edith King, Chicago, Illinois; Mrs. Frank D. King (Laura Smith, x09).

Elizabeth Plank, West Liberty, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Sam C. Plank, x15 (Golda Yoder, x15).

Eleanor Reist, Falfurrias, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reist, 04 (Lulu Greenawalt, 04)

Karl Stutzman, Goshen, Indiana; M. J. Stutzman 17

Dana Troyer, Fisher, Illinois; Dr. George Troyer, x16

GOSHEN COLLEGE BULLETIN

Robert Walter, Goshen, Indiana; O. L. Walter, Teacher 35-36
Mary Welty, Goshen, Indiana; S. H. Welty, 23
Bette Yoder, Goshen, Indiana; Mr. and Mrs. George C. Yoder, 10,
(Hazel Stiver x09)
Clifford Yoder, Columbiana, Ohio; Mrs. Stephen Yoder (Esther
Lehman 14)

Sophomores—12

Joe Burkholder, Nampa, Idaho; M. I. Burkholder, x01
Robert Cripe, Goshen, Indiana; Mrs. Burton Cripe (Bertha Coats,
x08)
Nellie Esch, Goshen, Indiana; Dr. and Mrs. C. D. Esch, 20 (Mina
Brubaker, x09)
Edward Friesen, Jamgaon, C. P., India; Mrs. P. A. Friesen, (Flor-
ence Coopridner, 10)
Lois Johns, Canton, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Otis Johns, x07 (Margaret
Rickert, 09)
Robert Kreider, Wadsworth, Ohio; Mrs. Lloyd S. Kreider (Adelia
Stover, x07)
LaVeta Miller, New Paris, Indiana; Everett Miller, x19
Ernest Smucker, Tiskilwa, Illinois; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smucker,
28 (Alma Albrecht, 11)
Esther Stiver, New Paris, Indiana; Ora Stiver, x16
Dwight Stoltzfus, Hudson, Ohio; Elmer Stoltzfus, x10
Nortell Troyer, Fisher, Illinois; Dr. George Troyer, x16
Eunice Weaver, Goshen, Indiana; Rev. S. E. Weaver, 11

Freshmen—18

Marion Albrecht, Morton, Illinois; Levi O. Albrecht, x12
Robert Baker, Elkhart, Indiana; Mrs. Frank Baker (Florence
Rensberger)
Clarence Burck, Albany, Oregon; Mrs. Harley L. Burck (Katie
Widmer x08)
Milton Brunk, Goshen, Indiana; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brunk, 15
(Alice Yoder x14)
Lester Culp, Tiskilwa, Illinois; Mrs. E. O. Culp, (Cora Smucker)
Carol Glick, Sugar Creek, Ohio; Mrs. C. C. Glick, (Maggie Yoder
x01)
Mildred Hess, Goshen, Indiana; Mrs. Wilson Hess, (Maggie Culp,
x08)
Harold King, Chicago, Illinois; Mrs. Frank D. King, (Laura Smith,
x09)
Rex Miller, New Paris, Indiana; Everett Miller, x19
Lois Mary Schertz, Washington, Illinois; Mrs. M. D. Schertz, (Mary
Yoder)
Kempes Schnell, Orrville, Ohio; Mrs. H. A. Schnell (Emma Yoder,
x09)
Miriam Sieber, Goshen, Indiana; Mrs. Charles Sieber (Bertha Shoe-
maker x07)
Elizabeth Summer, Wilmer, Alabama; Dr. P. D. Summer, 06
Annabelle Troyer, Fisher, Illinois; Dr. G. D. Troyer, x16
Herbert Troyer, Middlebury, Indiana; E. A. Troyer, x01
Genevieve Warner, Goshen, Indiana; DeMain Warner, x20
Mildred Witmer, Goshen, Indiana; Dr. and Mrs. S. W. Witmer, 14
(Sana Troyer 14)
David Yoder, Elkhart, Indiana; H. N. Yoder, 00

Part-Time—6

Lloyd Hess, Goshen, Indiana; Mrs. Wilson Hess (Maggie Culp,
x08)
Joe Rensberger, Goshen, Indiana; Charles H. Rensberger
Joseph Weaver, Goshen, Indiana; Joe H. Weaver
Robert Weaver, Goshen, Indiana; Joe H. Weaver
Albert Welty, Goshen, Indiana; Samuel H. Welty 23
A. Lois Yoder, Elkhart, Indiana; D. A. Yoder, x09